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Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh east to southeast winds; unsettled and mild with occasional rain.

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NAZI BOMBERS AND BRITISH FIGHTERS IN SHARP NIGHT BATTLE

Engagement Over London Surpasses Any Previous Fight During Darkness—Few Bombs Dropped In Capital as Defending Planes Keep Raiders Busy—Several Towns Report Attacks

LONDON, Jan. 16 (Thursday) (?) —London had a minor air raid just before midnight last night and early today, the first air attack after dark since Sunday, but fighting between the German bombers and challenging Royal Air Force night fighters surpassed any previous midnight performance over the capital.

A few incendiaries flare flared briefly. The real show, for which thousands poured into the streets, was provided in the smoky vapor patterns written upon the crystal clear heavens by the raiders and the darting, circling, machine-gunning fighters.

RAID BEGINS LATE

The raid began at an unusually late hour for attacks on London and the rattle of machine-gun fire overhead indicated the fighters were in action.

The "all-clear" sounded...during the early morning hours.

Another alarm about two hours later was preceded by a series of heavy explosions.

Within the close interval she pilot pelotas of distant bursting shells could be seen on London's outer defences as a new wave of night raiders approached. However, the defenders apparently were so confident in the strength of the new fighter forces and the anti-aircraft barrage

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MADE MINISTER IN WASHINGTON

Sir Gerald Campbell to Leave Ottawa Post For U.S. Appointment

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP)—Sir Gerald Campbell, High Commissioner for the United Kingdom in Canada, has been named British Minister in Washington, it was announced tonight.

The move makes diplomatic history because it results in two ministers in the United States, since Beverley Baxter, charge d'affaires since the Marquess of Lothian died in December, was given ministerial rank on January 10.

Informed sources explained, however, that Sir Gerald takes precedence and will act as second in command to Viscount Halifax, Lord Lothian's successor.

ABLE TO INTERPRET U.S.

Informed quarters said Sir Gerald's background makes it desirable that he should be associated with Lord Halifax even if it involves leaving the important Ottawa post. He will be able to interpret the United States to the former Foreign Secretary, who enters the work with a thorough understanding of British policy.

Sir Gerald will take up his post on the arrival in Washington of Lord Halifax.

Some high official of the Dominion office will possibly succeed Sir Gerald in Ottawa. No nothing has been definitely decided

Asturias Keeping Eye on Mendozas

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Jan. 16 (Thursday) (AP) — The French freighter Mendozas on her fourth attempt to avoid the British blockade and reach France, was reported early today to be steaming along the Uruguayan coast north of Montevideo, with the British auxiliary cruiser Asturias keeping parallel on the inside territorial waters and the other just outside.

FOUR CHILDREN DIE WHEN HOME BURNS

JONQUIERRE, Que., Jan. 15 (CP) —Four children of Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Bouchard perished early today in a fire which destroyed their two-story home.

The dead, twin four years old, Robert, five, Jean Paul, six, and Nicholas, seven.

Mrs. Bouchard and another child, an eighteen-months-old baby, were injured when the woman leaped to safety from a window.

Bouchard suffered burns when he sought to save the children.

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MAY INVADE TAX FIELDS

Dominion May Impose Succession Duties and Boost Income Levy

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (CP) — Failing readjustment of Canada's taxation system the Dominion Government may have to seek revenue in a way which will curtail the revenues of Provincial Governments, Finance Minister Ilsley told the Dominion-Provincial Conference today.

Speaking shortly before the conference broke up, Mr. Ilsley outlined the reasons the Dominion would action and the possible consequences of inaction.

A Dominion, seeking revenues to meet tremendous war costs, he said, might have to invade such Provincial tax fields as succession duties, increase income tax rates in a way which would impair Provincial returns from that source, and stop paying 60 per cent of the cost of unemployment relief.

In addition the Dominion might have to raise gasoline, which would curtail Provincial revenues from car licences and gasoline taxes.

Further the Dominion could not undertake to assist the Provinces in meeting maturing debts or in other difficulties resulting from failing revenues.

VICE-ADMIRALS RAISED IN RANK

Sir Andrew Cunningham and Sir Martin Dunbar-Nasmith Promotion, Admiralty Announces

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP) — Vice-Admiral Sir Andrew Cunningham, Commander-in-Chief of the British Mediterranean Fleet, and Vice-Admiral Sir Martin Dunbar-Nasmith, the British submarine service, have been promoted to the rank of admiral, the Admiralty announced tonight. Cunningham had been an acting admiral.

Admiral Cunningham, born in 1883, entered the navy in 1898 and received the Distinguished Service Order with two bars in the first Great War. He was naval aide-de-camp to the late King George V in 1932. He was put in command of the Mediterranean Fleet in 1939.

Admiral Horton entered the navy in 1900 and was a submarine commander in the first Great War. He torpedoed the German light cruiser Mainz at Heligoland and the German cruiser Prinz Adalbert in the Baltic. He also three German destroyers and several gunboats ships. Prior his war service he was rewarded with the D.S.O. and two bars. He was made a vice-admiral in 1936.

Both men were knighted in 1939

Gather for Unsuccessful Conference

The Prime Minister and Provincial Premiers gathered at Ottawa on Tuesday for the Dominion-Provincial conference, which closed yesterday afternoon in failure. Seated, left to right: Hon. A. S. MacMillan, the Premier of Nova Scotia; Hon. Mitchell F. Hepburn, Premier and Provincial Treasurer of Ontario; Rt. Hon. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada; Hon. Adelard Godbout, Premier of Quebec; Hon. J. B. McNair, K.C., Premier of New Brunswick. Standing, left to right: Hon. W. J. Patterson, Premier of Saskatchewan; Hon. T. D. Pattullo, K.C., Premier of British Columbia; Hon. John Bracken, Premier of Manitoba; Hon. Thane A. Campbell, K.C., Premier of Prince Edward Island, and Hon. William Aberhart, Premier of Alberta.

Illustrious Makes Port After Suffering Terrific Attack for Seven Hours

Submarine Gunner Misses Shot at Policeman Sitting

ATHENS, Jan. 15 (CP)—An Italian submarine appeared off an island in the Aegean Sea today and began machine-gunning a policeman sitting on the shore, the Greek Ministry of Home Security announced tonight. The Ministry said the U-boat missed the police officer and then made off.

Nazi Bases In Norway Bombed

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP)—Early today the Royal Air Force surmounted bases and stuck for attacks on Nazi bases in German-occupied Norway. Flurry of the Coastal Command scored direct hits on the air base at Mandal, on Norway's skagerrak coast, and on the port of Stavanger in the West Norwegian port of Stavanger.

All aircraft returned safely.

Two direct hits were scored by one aircraft on a motorship in Stavanger Roads. Another bombed an important railway bridge.

Ground mist and bad weather generally over the Continent prevented the Royal Air Force from making its regular night attacks on Germany and German-occupied "invasion" ports.

Nazi Naval Base Heavily Bombed

LONDON, Jan. 16 (Thursday) (CP)—"A concentrated and highly successful" air attack on the German naval base at Wilhelmshaven last night was reported in a London announcement today.

Gallantly Fights Off Desperate But Unsuccessful Attempt of German Planes to Put Britain's Newest Aircraft Carrier Out of Action—Ship Survives Rain of Explosives

Twelve Nazi Planes Shot Down During Engagement

ABOARD H.M.S. ILLUSTRIOUS WITH THE MEDITERRANEAN FLEET, Jan. 15 (AP)—Carrying marks of an epic battle with German dive bombers, the aircraft carrier Illustrious came into a Mediterranean port under her own power. For seven hours she was under almost constant attack of enemy air squadrons.

Forty to fifty German planes made the heaviest attack of the war on a single British warship last Friday. They flung torpedoes at the vessel the Illustrious and aimed 100,000 pounds of high explosive at her flight deck in a desperate but unsuccessful attempt to put the Royal Navy's newest aircraft carrier under water.

A WALL OF GUNFIRE

"The German pilots, diving head on faced a terrific wall of gunfire. They splattered the decks of the aircraft carrier with machine-gun bullets and dropped scores of bombs to port and to starboard of the ship, shaking the vessel from end to end.

The battle ended with darkness.

"The German pilots dived so low that the markings could be easily seen on their big Junkers planes. They dropped bombs all around the deck. Bomb splinters flew about the bridge and the rest of the

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IN PORT AFTER STORMY VOYAGE

Freighter Rides Through Three-Day Hurricane—Crew Members Injured

BOSTON, Jan. 15 (AP) — Battered by the American freighter West Keber slipped into Boston tonight and passengers told a story of rolling three days through a hurricane—always within reach of safety bells and ready to abandon ship.

Four members of the crew—one Chief Officer Harry Huntley, of Boston—were injured as they went on deck at the height of the storm to swing overboard forty tons of mahogany logs which had broken loose. None of their injuries was serious.

The only other casualties were four balcony—pets of the crew—and a West African parrot valued by a ship officer at $2.00. They were drowned. A pet chimpanzee crewman said survived and "seemed to enjoy the storm's howling—eating bananas and rice all the time."

Captain Benjamin Bogdan, describing the storm as the worst I have experienced in fifteen years" said the waves "rose like mountains" and at times swept over the entire ship. The compass broke loose, and the speed of the vessel—lurching the winds was reduced from 14.10 knots to 2.6.

Capt. Harold Baillie-Grohman Was Born in Victoria, Son of Kootenay Pioneer

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP)—Captain Harold Baillie-Grohman, D.S.O., O.B.E. Royal Navy, was promoted to the rank of rear admiral tonight, the fifty-third anniversary of his birth at Victoria, B.C.

Admiral Baillie-Grohman, son of the late W. A. Baillie-Grohman, Kootenay pioneer, author—and sportsman, has been in command of H.M.S. Ramilies of the First Battle Squadron, Mediterranean Fleet.

While no announcement was made, it is likely the promotion is in recognition of distinguished service against the Italian Fleet. The admiral has been in the navy since 1903 and in the last war was in destroyers and mine sweepers in the famous Dover patrol.

WINS PROMOTION TO REAR ADMIRAL

GREEKS RETAIN HOLD ON LINES

Italians Blasted From High Positions in Central Sector —Fighting Is Local

ATHENS, Jan. 15 (AP) — Greek soldiers in a surprise attack launched during a snowstorm have blasted the Italians out of important high positions in the central sector of Epirus, Greek forces held the ground against several counter-attacks, a Government spokesman declared tonight.

Speedy arrival of reinforcements helped the Greeks retain their grip on the positions, he said.

Mortars, machine guns, munitions and other war-materials were captured in this action. In another part of the front, the Greeks captured three guns in good condition.

In the Italian United Infantry against the Greek lines Greek artillery said, and shell bursts were noted. Both sides through heavy snowstorms and severe cold to mature plans for spring offensives. These actions were said to have occurred North of Klisura, recently captured by the Greeks.

Bad weather curtailed operations some what along the entire Albanian front, but Greek sources reported to have had engagements. Artillery action was noted on both the Kimarsa sector and the coastal area, where the Greeks claimed Italian positions had been undergoing heavy pounding.

The Greek Command said unfavorable weather had prevented air activity.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province

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LONDON, Jan. 15—(By Cable)—A big reduction in Britain's losses of shipping due to submarine and bombing attacks in the Atlantic is satisfactory, say The Times' naval correspondent, but it would be unwise to make too much of it. Bad weather may be partly the cause and it is necessary to wait for six or eight weeks before conclusions can be drawn that the U-boat menace is declining.

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Beyond Kilmuir, the Italians are making a stubborn stand, say The Times' Athens correspondent, but the Greeks are maintaining their advance and cleaning out pockets of enemy troops as well as clearing the heights which the Italians are still holding. The Royal Air Force continues to attack the places like Bardia, Tobruk and Benghazi in the neighborhood.

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A pause for a breath on Tobruk has been necessary to complete preparations. Since December 9 last, the Allies have engaged eight infantry divisions and one armored group have been destroyed in Libya. Many thousands were killed or wounded and 20,000 prisoners taken, including eleven generals and 3,200 officers. The entire British losses from all causes did not exceed 1,000.

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Continual Royal Air Force raids on Italian airdromes keep the enemy's aircraft grounded. All the Italian airmen now attempt is occasional raids on Malum, where aeroplanes are being landed.

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South Africa has spent a quarter of a billion dollars already on war preparations. It has raised an army of 120,000 men fully armed and equipped, and paid for everything out of its own financial resources.

"The Union has met the financial demand on it without recourse to the Finance Minister, and without adverse effects, either economic or financial."

The Times explains that Italian claims of damage in the British raid are grossly exaggerated as customary, since German air attacks on warships have failed to prevent British convoys passing through the Mediterranean.

Hitler's supplies for Rayplian forces have been sent around Africa. The British fleet has now held command of the Mediterranean for six months even in Italian waters.

Italian Plane Forced Down In Atlantic

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 15 (AP)—The Italian trans-Atlantic mail plane "Dayo" sent an SOS this afternoon after coming down on the Brazilian Ocean high seas, about about 300 miles off Pernambuco, Brazil.

The tri-motored plane was forced to land when it ran out of fuel after coming several hours after it left Natal, Brazil, for Cape Verde, Africa, and Rome.

Italian planes have been used recently since the war began to ferry German and Italian officers between Europe and South America

CONFERENCE AT OTTAWA ENDS IN FAILURE BUT PROVINCES SOLIDLY BEHIND WAR EFFORT

Prime Minister Announces Meeting Closed After Three Premiers Refuse to Discuss Changes in Financial Relations Until Peace Comes—Hepburn Leads Dissenting Delegates

Ilsley Warns Dominion May Have to Invade Tax Fields

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (?) —In the face of determined opposition from three provinces the conference called to deal with the financial relations between the Dominion-Provinces ended tonight. Opened yesterday morning and widely heralded as the most important Dominion-Provincial conference since Confederation, the gathering broke up when Ontario, Alberta and British Columbia refused to consider the report in wartime

To continue with three provinces absenting themselves would be to create an impression at home and abroad of lack of national unity, Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the conference.

Mr. King disclosed that there had been a division of opinion by the Cabinet regarding calling of the conference and that he personally had considered there should be no attempt to implement the proviqions of the report at this time

CONVINCED BY ILSLEY

But Finance Minister Ilsley, by explaining the financial situation, had convinced the ministers that the Cabinet would be taking a great responsibility if it neglected to act at once, and the Cabinet finally unanimously favored calling the conference.

Before the final decision was reached to end the meeting Mr. Ilsley voiced a warning that without the benefits which would arise from adoption of the report it might be necessary for the Dominion to invoke provincial taxation fields to finance the war.

If that were necessary as a war measure, Premier Hepburn of Ont-

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CARES NOT FOR DESERT

Italian General Proclaims Himself as Poet—Weather Clearing at Tobruk

BY EDWARD KENNEDY

WITH THE BRITISH FORCES IN LIBYA, Jan. 15 (AP)—Gen. Francesco Arentino, the dejected Black-Shirted Italian commander of the Mediterranean shore by a British motorized force three days ago, ended a noisy hunger strike today, swept a tearful eye over the barren stretches of sand and cried out:

"For all I care about this desert, you can have it. I myself am a poet."

He was the commander at Bir Sarrani, Egypt, first Italian stronghold to fall in the British onslaught, but tears came when he referred to the fall of Bardia, Libya, an even greater defeat for the Fascist forces.

SPOTTED BY R.A.F. PLANES

Arentino made his escape from Bardia, doomed fortresses, but was spotted by a Royal Air Force plane on Sunday while hiding at the edge of the sea. A motorboat was sent and took him prisoner.

As the siege of Tobruk continues, the British forces still are busy rounding up additional Italian straggler. On a plane trip I saw thousands of captives still camped in the

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MAN DROWNS IN NANAIMO RIVER

George Peterson Pinned Under Overturned Car—Companion's Rescue Efforts Fail

NANAIMO, Jan. 15—George Peterson, of Gabriola Island was drowned in Nanaimo River near Nanaimo River while his friend, Percy Shove, of South Wellington was rescued by a rope.

According to police, the men were fishing in a car that jumped the road and turned upside down in the river near the Island reservation. hire, pinning Peterson underneath

George Allman saw Private Percy Shove struggling in the water, and with others worked in a futile effort to release Peterson.

Corporal J. Stewart, of the British Columbia Police, worked three hours with a wrecker car before the body was released. It was brought to Jenkins Undertaking Parlor.

Private Percy Shove was brought to police headquarters for questioning. Police do not know who was driver of the death car.

MISHAP MOST EMBARRASSING

Actress Lands in Clump of Cactus—Is Resting: Face Down

DEATH VALLEY, Cal., Jan. 16 (?)—Actress Bette Davis, who is on a film location in the heart of this sun-scorched desert, today suffered a slight mishap that was as embarrassing as it was painful.

The strips called for an airplane, supposedly piloted by Janet Gaynor, and Miss Bette Davis was traveling to make a forced landing and nose over with the tail high in the air.

Bette was supposed to open the door and nonchalantly jump down onto a hillock of soft sand. She jumped, but she saw a clump of cactus too late

They helped her into a nearby hotel, where a physician first removed forty-five cactus thistles from her and then told her to rest on a couch for a while—face down

Another sequence, which calls for Carney to shoot Bette with a slingshot in the same place she got the cactus, was postponed temporarily.

QUEBEC INDIANS TAKEN TO SAFETY

Four Members of Beaver Hunting Party Perish In Northern Wilderness

VAL d'OR, Jan. 15 (CP)—Rescued from Quebec's frigid northern wilderness, forty members of an Indian party—men, women and children—today received medical treatment for pneumonia and lung diseases which already have claimed lives of four members of the group.

The Indians were brought here last night after a seventy-five-mile trip by airplane and bus from the remote junction of the Coachiscouane and Ubiwaine Rivers, where they had been hunting beavers for the past two months and living in tents with the temperature frequently as low as 30 and 50 degrees below zero.

Rescue efforts were launched several days ago when an Indian reached nearby Senneterre.

SIR THOMAS BEECHAM GOING TO SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Jan. 15 (AP)—Engagement of Sir Thomas Beecham, founder and conductor of the London Philharmonic Orchestra as director of the Seattle Symphony Orchestra for the 1941-42 season was announced here today by executives of the Seattle organization

He will succeed Dr Nikolai Sokoloff under the Seattle Symphony Orchestra's rotating policy.

Says Britain Lacks Dollars to Pay for Needed War Supplies

Morgenthau Tells House Committee British Supply of U.S. Funds Sufficient Only to Meet Orders Already Placed—Presents Balance Sheet

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Treasury Secretary Henry Morgenthau testified before the House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee today that British people "just haven't got" dollars enough to pay for "anything that they need" in war supplies from the United States.

Presenting to the committee a balance sheet of British resources in 1941 over second score when she had already ordered. Then, in explanation, he said:

"They can pay that way for what they have already bought in dollars. But, when it comes to finding the dollars to pay for anything like what they need—they just haven't got it.

Morgenthau was testifying in support of the Administration's bill, empowering the President "to manu-

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Ottawa Conference Fails, but Provinces Back War Effort

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tario declared he would co-operate. He would place the tax collecting machinery of his province at the Dominion's disposal.

"That is the kind of co-operation [illegible] after us with a club," he warned.

The conference died a lingering death, but the futility of any hope for agreement on the recommendations was apparent yesterday when the three dissenting Premiers registered their opposition to proceeding with consideration of the report on Dominion-Provincial Relations at this time.

Today's first plenary session opened early this afternoon when a procedure committee of the nine Premiers and two Federal ministers, which had labored all morning, presented a report.

REFUSE TO ENTER TALKS

Justice Minister Lapointe, chairman of the committee, told the conference three Premiers had refused to enter into any further discussions looking toward adoption of the report.

He did not name the Premiers, but Premiers Hepburn, Pattullo and [illegible] themselves as what Mr. Hepburn called "the conference sinners."

Mr. Hepburn said that if the Prime Minister insisted that further deliberations of the conference would necessarily occupy themselves with the commission report, the Ontario delegation would "leave these wreckers of Confederation . . . to carry on their nefarious work."

Later the three dissenting Premiers joined with the other six provincial leaders in expressing a willingness to go into committee on mutual problems so long as the commission report was left out of the discussion.

RETIRE TO CONFER

At 1:50 (P.S.T.) this afternoon Mr King, after expressing regret that some measure of compromise on the report had not been attempted, asked that he and his Cabinet colleagues be excused for a conference on the question of procedure.

He returned in fifteen minutes and, after a statement in which he discussed the value and shortcomings of the conference, declared the conference ended. It closed with the singing of the National Anthem at 2:35 p.m. (P.S.T.).

In his address closing the conference Mr. King said it had served one good purpose in that it had brought from the Premiers unanimous expression of their determination to back Canada's war effort and to co-operate with the Federal Government in whatever war measures were necessary.

He said he was authorized to inform the conference that the Ontario delegation's association "with this so-called conference" was at an end.

Mr. Hepburn followed with a brief statement commenting on Mr. Ilsley's remarks which he said had to do with "funny money," and proposals alongside which the monetary theories of Premier Aberhart "faded into insignificance."

WOULD NOT REMAIN

If further discussions were to be predicated upon the Sirois report, Mr Hepburn said the Ontario delegation would not remain. However, the Ontario delegation was in the conference chamber when the meeting ended

Premier Pattullo said British Columbia was not going to be "hogtied or hamstrung," as he believed it would be by adoption of the recommendations, but would co-operate in emergency war measures.

Head of the only Social Credit Government in the world, Premier Aberhart said the constitutional rights of the provinces had nothing to do with financing the war.

"I have a theory on this money problem," he said, "and you are going to have to try my theory or stop the war."

FINANCIAL SACRIFICES

While his province was ready to share the financial responsibility of the war, Premier Adelard Godbout said Quebec would have to make serious financial sacrifices if the recommendations were adopted.

Premier A. S. MacMillan of Nova Scotia and Hon. F. W. Pirie, New Brunswick Minister of Lands and Mines, speaking for Premier J. B. McNair who was ill, expressed regret at the loss of opportunity to discuss the report, even if it were not to be adopted.

Premier John Bracken of Manitoba strongly urged that the conference proceed as scheduled and attempt to seek some degree of agreement.

Mr. Bracken drew from Mr. Ilsey's words an indication that provincial tax fields would have to be used by the Federal Government. In that event there would be no compensation for the provinces, but if it were done by agreement, as recommended in the report, the provinces would receive off-setting advantages

FORESEES COMPULSION

From Premier Thane Campbell of Prince Edward Island came a warning that if the recommendations were not discussed voluntarily now, essential Government action later might require them to consider the situation involuntarily.

Resentment at being described as a wrecker of Confederation was registered by Premier W. J. Patterson of Saskatchewan.

When the Finance Minister said the measures recommended were needed in the war effort, the conference should not disregard his advice, Mr Patterson said.

Justice Minister Lapointe said no report had ever met with "such unfairness, such injustice and so many misrepresentations." He prophesied that the recommendations eventually would be adopted

Mines Minister Crerar, Pensions Minister Mackenzie, Agriculture Minister Gardiner and Labor Minister McLarty and Trade Minister MacKinnon all spoke briefly

DIVISION OF PROVINCES

Mr. King commented on the division among the provinces, three outspoken in their opposition to it, three supporting it, and three not prepared to take a definite stand until it was before the committees.

"I don't think it is surprising that these different points of view have been expressed," he said. "But I had hoped that as a result of this conference we would have reached a measure of agreement.

"The Government took a great responsibility in calling the conference. It would have been a much greater responsibility to have failed to call it," he said

If there had been no conference and the Finance Minister found it necessary in the future to initiate drastic financial measures as a war emergency, the provinces would have protested that they had not been consulted.

"If we seek to go on now with some provinces absent, such action might be construed as evidence of a lack of national unity," the Prime Minister said.

"None of us believe that to be true nor do we want it to be thought true in any part of the world. To continue the conference in the absence of three provinces would be to invite a false impression."

UNITED ON WAR STAND

One valuable accomplishment of the conference, he said, was that it had provided an opportunity for the provinces to express their attitude toward the war

"I am struck by the unity of purpose which has been evidenced with respect to Canada's war effort. While we may differ as to methods it has been made clear that we were never more united than in our determination to prosecute the war." He thanked the Premiers for their assurance that they would co-operate in whatever measures the Federal Government deemed essential to the war effort. Such assurance would be a great comfort to the Administration.

It was not for him to praise or blame any person regarding the success or shortcomings of the conference, Mr King said

"Nobody can say we of the Government have tried to blame any man for his views. We may well leave judgment to those whose servants we are"

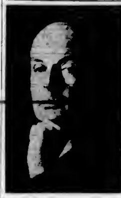
PEACETIME CONSIDERATION

Mr. King said he was struck by the evident willingness of all to consider the recommendations in peacetime. "That is a step forward if it is not one that helps us solve our present difficulties."

The Government would be ready to reopen the question at any time during or after the war, Mr King said. If it was not proceeded with during the war it would be because of the stand taken by certain provinces.

Mr. King closed with an invitation to all premiers and provincial ministers who wished to take advantage of their presence in Ottawa to discuss with him and his colleagues any matter they desired to take up with Federal authorities

To Give Address at Denver Meeting



DR. T. A. RICKARD

WELL-KNOWN retired mining engineer of this city, will leave next Tuesday for Denver, Colorado, where he will deliver an address before the Colorado Mining Association on the subject, "The Flag Follows the Pick." Dr. Rickard is very well known to the mining profession in the United States, and forty-five years ago, during the heyday of mining in Colorado, he occupied the position of state geologist of Colorado for three terms.

To Make Grant Toward Salaries

The Saanich School Board was informed last night, in a letter from Dr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education, that a Provincial Government grant of $58.50 for the month of May only, would be made towards the salary of each teacher, and the nurse and dentist in the municipality.

Preliminary preparations for the 1941 estimates were made by the trustees.

William Lynn was appointed janitor of the Royal Oak School on one month's probation.

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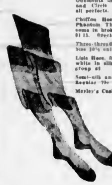

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TRAFFIC CASES IN CITY COURT

Money at the rate of $11 per minute poured into the city coffers in the city police court yesterday, when sixteen instances of infraction of traffic laws were the only cases on the docket.

The court session, under Magistrate Henry C Hall, lasted only five minutes, in which time fourteen fines of $2.50 each for overtime parking, and two fines of $10 each for speeding were dealt with.

SHEPHERDS FROZEN

VICHY, France, Jan. 15 (AP).—Two shepherds and their flocks of more than 600 sheep were found frozen to death yesterday near Arles, on the Rhone River, in the coldest weather of the French Winter.

MAY RECEIVE HIS WEIGHT IN DIAMONDS

BOMBAY, Jan. 15 (CP).—The Aga Khan, leader of Ismaili Mohammedans in India, East Africa and Central Asia, will receive as a gift his weight in diamonds, if a campaign started today by his followers in Karachi Province is successful.

The diamonds, estimated to be worth $25,000,000, would be presented to the Aga Khan in 1945 on the diamond jubilee of his accession to the Moslem spiritual leadership.

His followers contributed twice his weight in gold on his golden jubilee in 1935.

AIR GUNNERS GRADUATE

CALGARY, Jan. 15 (CP).—The first group of wireless air gunners from No. 2 Wireless School, R.C.A.F., will graduate here Tuesday afternoon They will leave the city very shortly

HOLLY PROCEEDS GIVEN TO FUND

Sale of Holly Donated by B. Montfort Given to Lord Mayor's Fund

Through the philanthropy of one Victoria citizen, the Lord Mayor's Fund ... $5,224.95, according to figures issued by John Baxter secretary to Mayor Andrew McGavin at the City Hall yesterday.

B Montfort, who purchased the old Pemberton holly ranch, donated the entire crop of holly on the ranch to be sold throughout the Dominion by various wholesale and retail establishments, with the proceeds to be donated to the fund.

While many of the firms to whom the holly was shipped turned in the money acquired to their local organizations, several returned the proceeds of the sale of holly to Victoria, where it was added to the Lord Mayor's Fund here.

Almost six tons of the holly were shipped last December, with even the cartons and the shipping charges to the wharf at Victoria donated. The firms to which the festive branches were sent paid for the other freight charges from the sale of the holly, the balance being given to the fund.

SHIPPED TO EAST

Five Toronto wholesale firms who took some 6,000 pounds of the holly, turned in $2,500 to The Toronto Telegram Lord Mayor's Fund. The Woolworth Company handled 3,100 pounds of the branches, and returned $3,041.97 to the fund. An additional $69 was turned in by Mr Montfort from the sale of holly at the ranch.

Smaller quantities were shipped to points Up-Island. In Nanaimo the supply was exhausted inside two hours from the time it was put on sale. In Flin Flon Duke McLeod general manager of radio station CFAR, who was formerly a Victoria announcer, auctioned the twenty-five pounds sent the Woolworth Store there over the air.

With only freight charges being deducted the proceeds from the sale of all the holly was turned in to the fund, either here or in the city in which it was sold.

There are still a few reports on various quantities of holly sales outstanding but they should be received within a few days.

Obituary

WATCHORN—At the residence of his sister, Mrs O. D. Christie, 1032 Fairfield Road, there passed away yesterday morning, William John Watchorn. Born at Morin Heights, Quebec, Mr Watchorn had resided in Eastern Canada until thirty years ago at which time he moved to Vancouver, where he followed his profession of chartered accountant. He had been living in this city for the past five years. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs O D Christie, Fairfield Road, and Mrs Elizabeth McIntyre, Vancouver, two brothers, V Henry, Vancouver, and Frank, at Nanaimo; also two adopted sisters, Mrs J H Davis, Morin Heights, Quebec, and Miss Evelyn E Olsen, Victoria. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, and will be forwarded to Vancouver, where funeral services and interment will take place.

MEADE—There passed away on Tuesday, Albert Francis Meade, late of 536 Langford Street, in his seventy-third year. He was born in England and had lived here for the past seventeen years. He leaves his widow in Victoria, a son and a daughter and five step-children. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

HUNTER—Mrs. Grace Hunter, wife of James Hunter, of 3255 Alder Street, died yesterday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged seventy-three years. She was born at Garderhouse Sandsting Shetland Islands, and had been a resident of Victoria for forty-one years. She leaves, besides her widower, four sons, Henry Hunter, at Poett's Nook, V.I.; Captain James A. Hunter, Vancouver; M. F. Hunter and D. B. Hunter, in Victoria, one daughter, Mrs. Jerry Sinclair, Vancouver, and also four grandchildren. The funeral will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, this afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. Hugh McLeod officiating. Interment will be at Royal Oak Burial Park.

HOLDEN—Information was received yesterday of the sudden death ... Rufus C. Holden, well-known businessman and a resident of that city for over fifty years. Mr. Holden was vice-president and founder of the Ames Holden Company until his retirement, and since that time had a keen interest in charitable organizations. He was a brother of the late Dr. D. B. Holden, Victoria. Mr. Holden is survived by two sons, Rufus C., Jr., K.C., who took over the Vice-presidency of Ames Holden Company, after the retirement of his father, and Hafty, both of Montreal; two brothers, Arthur, K.C., Montreal, and Fred C, Santa Monica; a daughter, Margaret Holden, Montreal, and a nephew and niece, Clement W. Holden and Mrs. T. H. Burns, of this city.

ARMSTRONG—Many sympathizing friends were present yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral services for John Cornwall Armstrong. Rev Norman J. Crees officiated, during which one hymn, "Lead, Kindly Light," was sung. Among those present was J. Quinn, representing the Naval Veterans of the R.A.O.B., and representatives of the 114th Battalion, Home Guard also W.A. to Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion. The pallbearers were members of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion and included Bert Croft, J. H. Wilcox, H. Wallace, E. J. Devereaux, David Jones and Thomas Davis. Interment took place in the Royal Oak Burial Park. S. J. Curry & Son had charge of arrangements.

WHITTINGTON—Funeral services for Mrs. Emelyn Whittington will be conducted this afternoon, in Sands Mortuary Chapel, at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. Bryce H. Wallace will officiate and the remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ARNOTT—Rev. Canon E. V. Bird conducted the funeral service for Miss Margaret Arnott yesterday afternoon in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ASHTON—There passed away on Tuesday at the Jubilee Hospital, Charles Arthur Ashton, aged fourteen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Ashton, of 1019 View Street. He was born in Yorkshire, England, and is mourned by, besides his parents, four sisters, Misses Pauline and Queenie, at home, and Mrs. H. Drysdale and Mrs. J. Bennett, Victoria; also his grandparents in England. He was a member of the Boy Scouts. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock. Rev. Arthur Bischlager will conduct the service after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

WILES—Many friends attended funeral services yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Frances Sarah Wiles, which was held in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Adjutant Watt of the Salvation Army, conducted the services, during which the hymns "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Rock of Ages" were sung. "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was also sung as a solo by Mrs. Watt. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with the following as pallbearers: J. J. Scarff, D. A. Scarff, W. J. Styles, F. G. Ramsdale, C. Venables and J. E. Walker.

GANDY—Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel for Douglas Arnold Gandy. Rev. W. L. MacKay conducted the services, during which the hymn "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go" was sung. "In the Garden" was also sung as a solo by Mrs. B. Ollie. Interment was made in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery, with the following as pallbearers: H. Fletcher, J. Munro, K. Duncan and G. Hall.

MILNE—Funeral services for Mrs. Emily Marianne Milne will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. Canon Chadwick will conduct the service, and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

FOOTE—Funeral services for Mrs. Jane Cleland Foote will be held this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Rev. G. A. Reynolds will conduct the service and interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

PROTHEROE—Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, for Edward William Protheroe. Ven. Archdeacon Nunns will conduct the service, and interment will be in St. Luke's Churchyard. McCall Bros. are in charge.

BERTHSEN—Funeral services will be held this morning at 10.30 o'clock in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel for Berth Berthsen. Pastor T. S. Bowett will conduct the service, and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Gomer Jones Is Mines President

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—Gomer P. Jones, well-known British Columbia mining engineer, was elected president of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines at the annual meeting last night, succeeding Dr. W. B. Burnett, who held the office for the past five years.

TRADE TRAINING PLAN LAUNCHED

Young Army Men Here Begin Three Months' Instruction Course

It was "back to school again" yesterday for seventy-seven lads serv... Active Force units in this area, released from routine military duties for three months to learn to become tradesmen.

They were lads selected from a large number of applicants for special instruction under the new Dominion-wide programme of trades training for young men already serving in the army—a plan devised to help solve Canada's growing problem of finding a sufficient number of trained men for the many trades now embraced in modern warfare and to assist in the rehabilitation of the men after the war.

The trades training classes in Military District No. 11 opened yesterday with almost a full allotment of students. Seventy-seven entered the technical departments of schools in Victoria, fifty-eight in Nanaimo and 158 in Vancouver, leaving only eight places still to be filled.

In Victoria the lads are attending classes in motor mechanics, carpentry, fitting and concrete work at Victoria West School, Central Junior High School and Kings Road School. Drawn from various units, they will continue to occupy their usual billets and will be returned to their units when the three-month courses are completed, making way for new groups of students.

The scheme in British Columbia is under the direction of Lieutenant W. O. Black, representing military headquarters, in close co-operation with Colonel F. T. Fairey, director of technical education for the Province. Lieutenant Black was in Vancouver yesterday, supervising the opening of the classes there.

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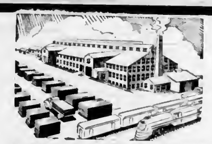
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CRISCO 1-lb. tin 20¢ 3-lb. tin 55¢
Swans Down CAKE FLOUR Per pkt. 22¢
HONEY Liquid 12-oz. jar 17¢
SMOKED PICNICS 17¢ lb.
BACON ½-lb. pkt., each 15¢
HAMS Tenderized, lb. 23¢ Whole or Shank half

PORK SHOULDER ROASTS, lb. 15c
LEGS PORK, whole or shank half, lb. ..19c
PORK LOIN ROASTS, lb. 23c
LOIN CHOPS, lb. 25c PORK STEAK, lb. 19c

LOCAL MUTTON
LEGS, whole or half, lb. 22c
SHOULDERS, small, lb. 15c
RIB CHOPS, lb. 20c LOIN CHOPS, lb. 23c
BREASTS, lb. 10c
ROASTING CHICKENS, lb. 27c
VEAL, Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb. 20c

COTTAGE ROLLS 27¢ lb.
JOWLS BACON, lb 15¢
DRY SALT PORK 17¢ lb.
CLOVER HONEY 2-lb. tin 29¢ 4-lb. tin 55¢
COLUMBIA APRICOT JAM 4-lb. tin 42¢
Strawberry JAM Goldenknot 4-lb. tin 42¢

AYLMER PRODUCTS
MARMALADE, 4-lb. tin 37¢
PORK AND BEANS, 15-oz. 3 for 19¢
STRAWBERRY JAM, 4-lb. tin 45¢
KETCHUP, 12-oz. bottle 15¢

CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE 1-lb. tin 49¢
Tenderleaf TEA 12-oz. pkt. 50¢

FISH DEPT.
FRESH WHITING FILLETS, lb. / DRESSED SOLES, lb. / SILVER HAKE FILLETS, lb. 15¢
FILLETED SOLE, lb. 25¢
SMOKED SALMON, lb. 22¢
EASTERN KIPPERS, per pair 19¢
FRESH SILVER HAKE, lb. 8¢

SALT 1½-lb. Carton Iodized or Plain 6¢ each
SALMON Pink Seal, 1's 15¢ tin

NABOB PRODUCTS
TOMATOES, 2½'s, tin 11¢
BEANS, Kentucky Wonder, 17 oz. 2 for 19¢
CORN, Golden Bantam, 17 oz. 2 for 19¢
CARROTS and PEAS, 17 oz. 2 for 19¢
DICED BEETS, 17 oz. 2 for 17¢

PINEAPPLE JUICE 48-oz. tin 32¢
Grapefruit Juice, 15-oz. 3 for 25¢
Grapefruit Juice, 50-oz. Per tin 22¢

FRUIT DEPT.
LARGE SUNKIST ORANGES Per doz. 25¢ 3 doz. 73¢
SUNKIST GRAPEFRUIT 7 for 19¢
LEMONS, doz. 15¢
McINTOSH RED APPLES 5 lbs. 25¢
TABLE CLUSTER RAISINS, in clear, pkt. 15¢
No. 2 GEM POTATOES 12 lbs. 25¢ Per sack $1.75

RYCRUNCH CRISPBREAD 2 for 25¢
DOG FOOD Best Yet, 1's 3 for 25¢
PEACHES Lynn Valley 18 oz. tins 2 for 25¢

RED KIDNEY BEANS 16 oz. 3 tins 25¢
DINNERS and MEAT BALLS 3 for 25¢

CANDY DEPT.
LICORICE ALLSORTS, lb. 19¢
CHOCOLATES, ASSORTED, lb. 25¢
PEANUT BRITTLE, lb. 15¢
BLACK COUGH DROPS, lb. 19¢

DELICATESSEN
MINCE-MEAT 2 lbs. 19¢
COOKED HAM, ½ lb. 21¢
NALLEY'S Potato Chips 2 for 19¢
PICKLED PIGS' FEET, lb. 15¢

RED PLUMS Berryland, 17 oz. 2 for 17¢
PINEAPPLE Bacon Cubed 2 for 25¢

SPECIAL 1-lb. tin WAX 4-oz. LEMON OIL ALL FOR 45¢

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7-lb. bag 27¢ 24-lb. sack 82¢ 49-lb. sack $1.55 98-lb. sack $3.00
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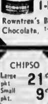
Brown Label, ½'s 40¢
Yellow Label, 1's 65¢
Yellow Label, ½'s 35¢

CLARK'S PRODUCTS
Tomato or Vegetable Soup 2 for 15¢
Chicken or Mushroom Soup 2 for 19¢
PORK AND BEANS, 15-oz. 2 for 15¢
TOMATO JUICE, 20-oz. 2 for 19¢

SPAGHETTI CANADIAN BEAUTY, 16-oz. 2 tins 15¢
SOUP CAMPBELL'S TOMATO 3 tins 25¢
BEANS LUNCHOUR, CUT GREEN, 16 oz. 3 tins 25¢
PEAS AYLMER, 2's, tall 2 tins 21¢
SARDINES BRUNSWICK, tin 5¢
Sandwich Meats FAVORITE FOODS 4 for 25¢

BURNS' PRODUCTS
PURE LARD, 1-lb. cartons 2 lbs. 15¢
BAKEASY SHORTENING, 1-lb. carton 10¢
SPORK, 12-oz. tin 25¢
SPICED HAM, 1-lb. tin 30¢

CURRANTS Recleaned 2 lbs. 21¢
SULTANAS Australian 2 lbs. 21¢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APPLE JUICE Orchard Time 10-oz. tin 2 for 15¢ 20-oz. tins, each 11¢ 48-oz. tins, each 23¢

CANADA Corn Starch 10¢ pkt.
HEINZ KETCHUP Large bottle 18¢

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HEALTH MEAL, 2½ lbs. 25¢
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SOYA BEAN FLOUR, 1½ lbs. 25¢
SOYA BEAN FLOUR 5 lbs. 75¢
M CEREAL, 2½ lbs. 25¢

CHIPSO Large pkt. 21¢ Small pkt. 9¢
PALMOLIVE SOAP Regular Cakes 2 for 9¢

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Listerine Tooth Paste, 25c size 3 for 49¢
Pure Russian Mineral Oil, 16 oz. Reg. 39c 4 for 98¢
Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream, 50c size 2 for 46¢
Malt Extract with Cod Liver Oil, 1 lb. 59¢
Pinex, for colds, 50c size 39¢
Camphorated Oil, 4-oz. bottle 14¢
Genuine Ironized Yeast, $1.00 size 89¢
Teddy Bear—1-lb. tin with ... 37¢
Writing Tablets, 15c size 2 for 15¢
Blue-Lined Envelopes, per pkg. 4¢
Noxzema Cream, 25c size 15¢
Borden's Chocolate Malted Milk, 16-oz. tin 35¢
Paper Napkins, box of 80 10¢
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Zinc or Boracic Ointment, 10c size 9¢
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AN ABORTIVE CONFERENCE

The Ottawa conference on the Rowell-Sirois Report has died a-borning. There was opposition to the report from three provinces, lukewarmedness, or perhaps indifference, evidenced by three others and what seemed little more than the resemblance of support from the remaining three. Thus a situation had developed that had engendered ill-feeling. Now there is no possibility of remoulding the Canadian Constitution or reshuffling financial responsibilities as between the Dominion and the Provinces while the War is in progress, whatever is discussed afterwards.

It would have been the wise thing to do to secure the opinions of the various premiers of the provinces before they were summoned, with other ministers and large staffs, to Ottawa. The Rowell-Sirois Commission carried on its investigations for three years. It cost upwards of $500,000. The gathering at Ottawa, suddenly abandoned, is costing a pretty penny. There is crudity in carrying on affairs in such a fashion; lack of statesmanship in not educating public opinion prior to attempted action on such vital matters, obvious want of national unity where national welfare is concerned. The only saving grace of the situation is that the conference has been abandoned with as little as possible delay. The Government at Ottawa can now get on with the War, and it is hoped, with greater enthusiasm and better organizing ability than up to date.

WHAT WILL HITLER DO NEXT?

Mr. William Henry Chamberlin, for twelve years correspondent at Moscow for The Christian Science Monitor and for the past two years in charge of The Monitor's Paris Bureau, asks the above question in the current Atlantic Monthly, and in his answer states that Hitler is the prisoner of his own conquests and obliged by the exigencies of the situation to go on or go under.

He begins by making a comparison between the European situation as it is today and what it was when Napoleon's power was at its height. Then, as now, Great Britain and Russia were the chief, though not the only obstacles in the way of the aggressor. Mr. Chamberlin thinks that an attempt by Hitler against Russia would hardly be any more successful than Napoleon's. True, the latter had no railway lines to help with the problems of transportation and supply, to say nothing of the trucks and tanks that are available today. On the other side of the account, however, modern warfare is highly industrialized and Hitler is not well supplied with "strategic minerals, fuels and fats." Moreover, whereas Napoleon in his day had nothing to fear from the United States, then largely an agricultural community, the formidable industrial power of that country is now on the side of the British Empire. Hitler's effective sovereignty today covers an area larger than that of Napoleon's empire. Nevertheless, according to Mr. Chamberlin's arithmetic, all this adds up to mean that Hitler would not likely succeed where Napoleon failed.

What would be the prospects of a "new European order" under German economic leadership? The answer given here is that Hitler's empire is not a workable economic unit. It has more than double the population and less than half the area of the United States. It is over-supplied with men and machines, and deficient in foodstuffs and raw materials. As Germany would certainly secure for herself the lion's share of the benefits of "the new order," the plight in which her vassals would find themselves would be an unhappy one indeed, in view of the fact that the standard of living today in Germany, in respect of quantity and quality of food and clothing, is "lower than that of Americans on relief." Europe has coal and iron. It lacks manganese, nickel, tungsten, and antimony. To achieve and maintain a tolerable standard of living it needs also foodstuffs and many tropical and semi-tropical products. It is very inadequately supplied with oil. In short, it is "hopelessly lopsided economically."

Mr. Chamberlin mentions several means by which Hitler might hope to extricate himself from his difficult situation. He might try to defeat Great Britain and put an end to the blockade. He might try to drive through the Balkans, penetrate the Near East, and supply his needs from the resources of Egypt and Irak. He might attempt to secure the products and materials he needs by means of a trade treaty with Russia, or even, if diplomacy failed, by means of military action. He might possibly make a desperate effort to reduce Gibraltar and open up a route to Central and Western Africa. In short, to quote Mr. Chamberlin directly, "Hitler must either get much more or lose everything he has."

"THE TREADMILL OF MEDIOCRITY"

"The glittering generalities of the speaker have left an impression more delightful than permanent." This is credited to an American writer reviewing a lecture by Mr. Rufus Choate, and it is one that could be applied to much that was said at the Federal-Provincial Conference at Ottawa. There were, indeed, high-sounding generalizations galore, and particularly in the speech of the Prime Minister, who is much given to this form of locution. One, however, interlarded in the written brief read by Mr. T. D. Pattullo of this Province deserves more than passing mention. A reason why he opposes the findings of the Rowell-Sirois Report is because he claims British Columbia "does not want to be pushed down either to the bottom or half-way, there to turn the treadmill of mediocrity in perpetuity."

This generalization is based on a belief, held by Mr. Pattullo, that the retention of provincial rights as now existing are necessary to provincial prosperity. He assumes too much in the belief that those rights he is so zealous to guard constitute in any sense the magna carta of this Province. Their exercise has piled up mountains of debt and brought about unduly onerous taxation in a territory so slimly inhabited. That is not to say that there is no argument in favor of their retention. It is to claim that they have been exercised with too great spendthrift zeal.

It was because of over-expenditures by Provinces and the sorry financial plight in which some of them have found themselves, and still are, that the Royal Commission of inquiry came into existence in order to find a solution of their self-imposed problems. The Dominion Government, whose credit stands behind those provinces, was interested as well, for it found one [illegible] of Western Canada, leaning more and more heavily on the Federal Exchequer for financial assistance. The Federal authority must be given praise for the desire to re-establish the credit of the Dominion as a whole on a firmer basis. It was not sufficient, because of the pressure of the times arising out of the financial slump during the years succeeding 1929, that Ottawa should give its imprimatur to provincial borrowings. Something more than that was wanted to make for a solid financial future. It was the desire to find out what this should be that led to the appointment of a Royal Commission some three years ago.

There is neither rhyme nor reason, nor even a glimmering of common sense in any belief that a reshuffling of financial responsibility in this Dominion, such as suggested in the Rowell-Sirois Report, would cause this or any other Province "to turn the treadmill of mediocrity in perpetuity." The phrase is vacuous and only designed for rhetorical effect. It adds ridicule rather than strength to the argument presented to the conference by Mr. Pattullo. He is an exaggerated believer in the power of provincial government and its influence on the lives of a people in a democratic country. What he claims is a denial of the axiomatic truth that the people are what they make themselves, not what any government believes it can make them. In hinting at the possibility of this Province, under a certain set of circumstances, being condemned to a slave economy (the treadmill of mediocrity), there is an illustration of how, upon occasion, as Claudio's sister put it, man, "drest in a little brief authority," may be "most ignorant of what he's most assured."

HUMANITARIANISM

It is significant of the manner in which the British pursue war that they should have offered safe conduct and the necessary facilities for the evacuation of Italian women and children from Italy's African possessions. This is an act of humanitarianism since British troops are now fighting in Libya and have entered Abyssinia and Italian Somaliland. The willingness of the British to arrange for the evacuation of women and children is in sharp contrast to German war methods. The Nazis, in their invasion of France, pursued refugees, bombed and machine-gunned them, engaged in massacre to inspire terror in the civilian population, all as a part of their tactics in battle. The Italians, if they have any compunctious feelings, will accept the British offer. To leave women and children in the path of battle, when they can be removed in time, is an act of pusillanimity. To destroy them wantonly, as the Germans did in France, is an act of savagery.

He says, My reign is peace, so slays
A thousand in the dead of night.
Are you all happy now? he says,
And those he leaves behind cry Quite.
He swears he will have no contention,
And sets all nations by the ears.
He shouts aloud No intervention!
Invades, and drowns them all in tears
—W. S. Landor.

Custom forms us all; our thoughts, our morals, our most fixed belief, are consequences of the place of our birth.—Hill.

It ain't easy, thank the Lord, to break up hearts of oak, whether they're in brigs or bazzums.
—Dickens' Captain Cuttle

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m., Wednesday, January 15, 1941.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

Pressure remains low off Vancouver Island and is relatively high over Northwest Territory. The weather continues unsettled and mild through British Columbia, with light snowfalls over the Interior and showers on the coast.

It is moderately cold in the Prairie Provinces.

PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

(Precipitation for twelve hours to 5.00 p.m.; temperatures for twenty-four hours.)

	Precipitation	Min	Max
Victoria	.02	42	50
Nanaimo	.18	38	45
Vancouver	.14	40	44
Kamloops	.01	29	34
Prince George		22	27
Estevan Point	.48	41	47
Prince Rupert	.02	35	42
Langara		35	42
Atlin		9*	3
Dawson		25*	21*
Seattle	.07	36	40
Portland	.14	39	48
San Francisco	.38	45	57
Spokane	.02	25	37
Penticton		36	
Vernon		32	
Kelowna		31	
Grand Forks		27	
Nelson	.19	32	35
Kaslo		30	
Cranbrook		22	38
Calgary	Trace	4	13
Edmonton	.08	1	8
Swift Current	.07	10	18
Regina	.02	7	14
Prince Albert		6	12
Winnipeg	.07	11	20
Tuesday			
Toronto		8	15
Ottawa		14*	1*
Saint John		6*	5
Halifax		1	11

* Below zero

WEDNESDAY

Minimum	42
Maximum	50
Average	46
Minimum on the grass	40

Weather, cloudy; sunshine January 15, 1 hr. 6 mins.
Total rain, twenty-four hours ending 5 p.m., January 15, .03 in.

5.00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.74, wind, E., 2 miles; cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.76, wind, SE., 15 miles; cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.81, calm; cloudy.
Prince George—Barometer, 29.88, wind, NE., 2 miles; cloudy.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.71; calm; cloudy.
Langara—Barometer, 29.68, wind, E., 10 miles; cloudy.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.64, wind, SE., 8 miles; fair.
Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.68, wind, S., 15 miles; raining.
Portland—Barometer, 29.92; wind, SW., 10 miles; raining.
Seattle—Barometer, 29.83, wind S., 10 miles; raining.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.11; wind, W., 5 miles; cloudy.

Note and Comment
By SANDHAM GRAVES

As this paper pointed out in its editorial columns yesterday, Governments engaged upon a consideration of the Rowell-Sirois report at Ottawa have already forgotten the public. That is strange, because the voluminous bulk of the report is in essence a return on the state of the people of Canada, gathered at first hand from sea to sea. One of the [illegible] the conference declared that one Provincial Premier had "killed" the discussion, yet one Provincial Premier cannot speak for 12,000,000 people.

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To go back a little to how the Commission was originated, and obtained its information. There had arisen throughout the country much discussion of unemployment relief costs, Provincial debt structures, and other problems upon which there was room for an honest difference of opinion. British Columbia and the Maritimes were asking for "better terms"; the Prairies had had some years of partial crop failures and the more settled East had gone through the unsettling experience of one of the severest slumps in history. The Purvis Commission was appointed to consider employment, and later the Rowell-Sirois Commission for the bigger task.

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Whatever may be said of Royal Commissions in general the Rowell-Sirois Commission took its work seriously and did a magnificent job. If the Dominion, instead of forcing the issue to a snap test in wartime, had quietly studied the report in the next few years it would have learned a great deal about the people of Canada, their needs, and their hopes. This would have been entirely in the spirit of the Fathers of Confederation, who, in their day, gave their best.

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In British Columbia, for instance, the Rowell group sat in the Legislative Assembly Chamber for about ten days. It heard prepared argument by the British Columbia Government; from the Union of British Columbia Municipalities, from the British Columbia School Trustees' Association; from Boards of Trade representing every section of the province, and from other and smaller groups as well. This column reported those hearings, and was much impressed with some of the material presented. All of it was worthy of reasoned and studied consideration.

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It is reasonable to assume that elsewhere in Canada the hearings were treated with the same serious purpose; and that a summary of such evidence would become a unique index to Canadian thought, both in public life and outside of it. As a matter of plain fact, the Commission's report shows that to be the case. The Commission, however, was pressed on to making "recommendations," and eventually did so. Almost at once, Governmental agencies seized on the recommendations, to virtual neglect of the other and most valuable evidence in the report.

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Perhaps the real point is that at this moment the majority of the people of Canada do not know what is in the Rowell-Sirois report; nor could they possibly do so, because there are not enough copies to go round even fractionally among the people. The British Columbia Legislature for example was not consulted, nor did its members know until yesterday what this Government's stand would be at the conference. Certainly, the Legislature was not prepared for a declaration of "complete variance"; and the people as a whole had seen nothing upon which to base a solid judgment.

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In the light of these facts, Premier Pattullo's declaration that the report is something to be studied, and not hurried will commend itself to many citizens, who may or may not agree with the official British Columbia view. In one sense, there can be no official view until the people have been consulted, both provincially and federally. Governments in office today may be gone tomorrow, but it is the people who will remain.

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In so far as they have spoken, the people have shown that they want no divisions in wartime, no barriers to a full and sustained war effort at Britain's side, and no jerry-built re-riggings of the structure raised with care and patience by the Fathers of Confederation. If for no other reason than that it was seriously, earnestly and ably prepared, the Rowell-Sirois report should have been absorbed and understood before any "discussion" was called. For in it, calmly and temperately, Canada was speaking.

Hawkins: "Did you have any trouble with your French when you were in Paris?"

Dorkins: "I didn't, but the Parisians did!"

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

GLARING HEADLIGHTS

Sir,—A recent letter on night driving is timely, but it doesn't tell us how to bell the cat. I have noticed myself that it is not the car with reasonable headlights that bothers an oncoming driver, but the cars with more powerful lights.

I would suggest that though these [illegible] candle-power, reflectors are of such a nature that they step up the rays the same as a searchlight.

There should be a new standard of measurement, not the candle-power, but the units of glare, if I could so term it.

Police should be empowered to request drivers with lights that are too powerful to go to a garage and have the lights toned down to an average standard of illumination non-compliance to be punishable.

For anyone driving at a speed of thirty miles an hour average lights are quite enough; one can even run on the dim lights without trouble. Why on earth the majority should be harassed—even to the extent of giving up night driving—for the sake of a few is beyond me. There is no reason why anyone driving at a normal night speed should require powerful lights.

In the States, where there are broad highways and ample passing room, higher speeds and more powerful lights would not matter so much.

If the truth were known, a whole lot of side-swiping is due to the fact that new widening of about a couple of feet of road surface, broken edges, gravel, mud and dead grass so intermingle, especially on a half-dry night, that you can hardly see what is a safe surface. When you are confronted with glaring headlights you are afraid in your blinded state of getting in the ditch, and you unconsciously edge towards the centre of the road. More than likely, it is the car following that you brush fenders with, and the man who caused it sails blithely on, not realizing that he has left behind a spot of trouble caused indirectly by his blinding headlights. Incidentally, would it not be possible to have white lines on the edges on well-traveled country roads at spots where the edge is not very discernable?

If the people with powerful lights realize that in making driving safe for themselves, they are making it unsafe for others, they will drive on their dim lights and make it safer and less nerve-wracking for others. Your selfishness may cause the other poor chap to kill a pedestrian or cyclist, so give the other fellow a break.

B. A. CARTER
Duncan, B.C., January 14, 1941.

"A REAL MAN"

Sir,—"F. L. Stephenson came arriving 3 p.m. Delighted to see him."

I was spending a Winter alone on Otter Creek, Atlin mining district, running a drift to locate a hoped-for old channel and the foregoing is a quotation from my diary and is dated February 9, 1906.

The quotation expresses the reaction of every prospector and miner visited by "F. L.," by which initials he was generally known. In this instance he had hiked over sixteen miles in Winter weather to visit me.

The prospectors and miners of the Atlin of early days feel, in the passing of F. L. Stephenson, that they have lost a real friend.

"F. L." was, as the Bishop stated in his brief address at the funeral service, "a real man." That description would make the best of all epitaphs to be engraved on the stone to mark his resting-place.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL
1216 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1941.

WHAT REALIATION MIGHT DO

Sir,—I have been intensely interested in the widespread controversy appearing in your paper regarding the pros and cons of retaliation by the British on their German opponents for the barbarous methods of warfare adopted by the latter in their insane methods of indiscriminate bombing of open cities, the destruction of hospitals, churches and buildings of historic interest; to say nothing of the willful killing and maiming of non-belligerent men, women and children. May I say that some of my immediate friends and acquaintances have been killed in this senseless manner and I would be somewhat naturally inclined to ride with the retaliationists, up to the very hilt.

However, Mr. Editor, I am profoundly pleased to note that you have taken a very consistent stand against this action and many of your contributors have been like-minded. May I say that I have no quarrel with those who take an opposite view, as I say, a most natural view to take. Nor am I any "turn the other cheek" advocate, but my chief objection to retaliation of this sort is by reason of the disintegration of our own character which would inevitably ensue.

I believe it to be a biological and psychological fact that the highest attainment is capable of the lowest degeneration. The old Latins had a saying bearing out this theory, "Facilis est descensus Averni" (The descent to hell is easy.)

And so, Mr. Editor, whilst I wish to see Britain conquer with every pulse of my body, may God save her from losing her own soul. She represents the highest peak, in my [illegible] valor, and conduct have ever attained in the long struggle of mankind from the jungle. May God help us to "remain British" in our ideals. We shall be better able to lead the world back to those greener pastures beside the still and peaceful waters that await us beyond the crest of the hill that we are so painfully toiling towards. Thank you, Mr. Editor, for your courage and sanity. As Churchill says, "We will continue to show mercy, though we ask for none!"

DAVID GRIEVE TUCKWELL.
1251 Pembroke Street, Victoria, B.C., January 13, 1941.

The Observation Car
By THE EDITORIAL STAFF

Complex Set-Up

Montreal with a city council of ninety-nine aldermen has probably the largest number of city fathers of any city in North America. Thirty-three are appointed by the electorate as a whole, thirty-three by property owners, and the remaining thirty-three named by thirteen city organizations. An executive of six members with complete financial powers is selected from among the ninety-nine aldermen. The ninety-nine city fathers create news when they meet four times each year . . . For some time the janitor in the building tenanted by Aubrey had been in the habit of dropping into our rotund friend's quarters to scan the morning newspaper. For that purpose he always left an old pair of spectacles on the bookcase. One day he was unable to make out even the black type on the front page because he could not find the glasses. Neither he nor Aubrey could locate the "eye crutches" after a diligent search. Last week the glasses arrived from Vancouver in a plain envelope with no wrapping and a brief note from one "Dusty." Miraculously the specs were undamaged. "Dusty" reminded Aubrey that he had put them on one night while paying a visit and absent-mindedly walked home without taking them off. He said he had come across them again on arrival at Vancouver, and after racking his brains for two weeks finally remembered how he had come in possession of the spectacles . . . The young son of one of our neighbors reminded his father at breakfast-time he was fed up with corn flakes day after day. "Judging by the time you came home last night I think your favorite cereal is wild oats," dad remarked.—G.B.

FINES IMPOSED IN BUTTER THEFT CASE

"I have come to the conclusion it was a prank and I think the case will be met with fines of $10 and $2 costs each," decided Magistrate Henry C. Hall in Provincial Police Court yesterday when passing sentence on three soldiers charged with stealing fifty lbs. of butter valued under $25, from His Majesty the King.

The soldiers had pleaded guilty in court last week, and claimed they had been drinking and did not know what they were doing.

"It is surprising that men of your age and responsibility would indulge in such a childish prank," admonished the bench.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist of January 16, 1891)

Dinner at Government House—The following guests were entertained at dinner at Government House last evening by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor: Sir M. B. Begbie, C.J., Mr. Justice Crease, Mr. Justice Walkem, Mr. Justice Drake, Hon. John Robson, Hon. J. H. Turner, Hon. C. E. Pooley, Hon. T. Davie, Hon. D. W. Higgins, Hon. Robert Beaven, Capt. Parr, R.N., Lieut. Davenport, R.N., Col. Holmes, Capt. Benson, Major Peters, Capt. Palmer, Capt. Ogilvie, Staff Surgeon Patterson, R.N., Lieut. Burstall, Dr. Matthews, Dr. Duncan and Mr. Herbert Stanton.

Steam Schooner—The steam schooner Rosie Olsen is another good addition to the Victoria fleet. She was bought in Port Townsend by Andrew Gray and Captain G. Cox for Victoria citizens. It is expected she will arrive here tomorrow and will be immediately equipped for service. Her gross tonnage is thirty-nine tons; net, thirty-three tons, length, sixty-nine feet; breadth, eighteen and a half feet. The captain and crew of the Rosie Olsen will be picked from competent men of this city.

The Tramway Company—On Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock the new plant of the National Electric Tramway & Lighting Company will be formally inaugurated at the station, Rock Bay.

Sunrise and Sunset

JANUARY

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1941.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8 06	16 28	17	7 59	16 48
2	8 06	16 30	18	7 58	16 50
3	8 06	16 31	19	7 58	16 51
4	8 05	16 32	20	7 57	16 53
5	8 05	16 33	21	7 56	16 54
6	8 05	16 35	22	7 55	16 56
7	8 05	16 36	23	7 54	16 57
8	8 04	16 36	24	7 53	16 59
9	8 04	16 38	25	7 52	17 01
10	8 03	16 39	26	7 51	17 02
11	8 03	16 40	27	7 49	17 04
12	8 03	16 42	28	7 48	17 05
13	8 02	16 43	29	7 47	17 07
14	8 01	16 44	30	7 45	17 08
15	8 00	16 46	31	7 44	17 10
16	8 00	16 47			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1941.

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
2–31	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

The time is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

Press agent: "Say, there's a bunch of people outside waiting to see you. Among them is a bishop who says he married you some years ago."

Film star: "Gee, I'm practically certain I never married a bishop."

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$431,478,374	Insurance in Force	$445,087,729
130,301,125	Assets	135,686,105
48,604,501	New Business	49,390,099
2,650,892	Surplus earned	2,554,991
8,930,179	Total Surplus	8,637,891
13,512,920	Premium Income (excluding Single Premiums)	13,919,018

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City Hall Officials Meet at Dinner

Members of the City Hall Officials' Association held their annual meeting on Tuesday night, in the form of a supper gathering in the Dominion Hotel. The meeting, attended by about sixty members, was presided over by E. S. Gropp, retiring vice-president, shown in the middle in the above picture. On the right is W. Percy Wright, re-elected secretary treasurer, and on the left is A. L. McLellan, Vancouver, secretary of the Medical Service Association, who addressed the meeting on the benefits to be derived from membership in the non-profit association.

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MURDER CHARGE HEARING OPENS

Three Witnesses Give Evidence as Case Against Indian Begins

Preliminary hearing in the case of Everett Archie Alexander, otherwise known as Jack Archie, Cowichan Indian, charged with the murder of Alphonse Kelly, another Indian, opened in Provincial Police Court yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Henry C. Hall. W. B. Colvin is appearing for the Crown and H. W. Davey is defence counsel.

Many Indians crowded the courtroom during the hearing. Three witnesses were heard during the course of the three-hour court session, the hearing afterwards being adjourned until next Wednesday afternoon.

The first witness, Baptiste Tommy, through an interpreter, Ed Underwood, told of having on the forenoon of December 28, 1940, gone out to get a canoe floating upturned about a hundred yards from the beach, on the East Saanich Reserve. Approaching, he saw that the canoe was anchored and discovered a dead body hooked on the rowlock, which he recognized as Kelly, who had only one leg. He testified that he brought the body ashore and with assistance took it to Kelly's residence.

Under cross-examination, he said it was about 11 o'clock at the time, and high tide. The tide goes out about 200 yards at that point. He did not know whether Kelly and Archie were friends or not and never saw Kelly bad-tempered when drunk.

PERFORMED AUTOPSY

Dr. J. H. Moore testified that he performed an autopsy on the body of a one-legged Indian on December 28. There was a penetrating wound on the left rear of the skull extending to the left front, where a bullet came out. At the exit wound the skull and scalp had been cut with some sharp instrument, which fractured the bones and destroyed part of the brain. None of the wounds could have been self-inflicted.

Under questioning by defence counsel, Dr. Moore testified death had taken place within a period of twenty-four hours before his examination. He would say damage to the skull had been caused by some heavy instrument; wielded with considerable force; several blows must have been struck. He would think the exit wounds were made after the gunshot wound, because the wound of exit was destroyed.

CONSTABLE'S EVIDENCE

Constable D. S. M. Thomson said he was stationed at Sidney and on December 28 had gone to the East Saanich Indian Reserve and with other officers had questioned Indians at the Kelly home. The accused had been questioned on three occasions by police officers.

Quoting from notes which he said he had taken down while accused was being questioned by police officers, Constable Thomson testified that accused had given the following information:

He had been staying with Kelly for two weeks, had left the reserve with Kelly in a canoe and gone to Sidney, where they had sold some crabs and bought two bottles of alcohol at a drug store. They had a 30-30 Winchester carbine with them. He had three drinks and Kelly drank one bottle and started on the second. They waited for the wind to drop about 8.30 p.m. When they approached James Island Wharf Kelly was singing. They came ashore and he tried to get Kelly to go home. Kelly started hitting him and told him to go home. The gun was in the boat, not loaded. He never touched the rifle. Kelly was sitting in the boat with his head down when he left. He had four shells in his clothes pocket at his father's place.

Constable Thomson said he had accompanied the accused to his father's place to get the four shells. The accused had searched his clothes and could find only three shells.

ACCUSED NOT WARNED

Under cross-examination Constable Thomson admitted that accused was not warned before questioning on either of the three occasions.

Constable Thomson said that at low tide he found near the upturned canoe, a rifle, two double-bitted axes, an empty 30-30 cartridge case, a number of dishes and a hammer. The accused had been arrested at 10.45 on December 28 and when searched produced a pocketbook containing a national registration certificate and a rifle registration slip for a 30-30 rifle.

Cross-examination of Dr. Moore and Constable Thomson will be continued next Wednesday.

CHINESE HONOR CLASS TUTORS

Victoria Chinese First in Canada to Form A.R.P. First Aid Group

Victoria's class of Chinese residents taking first-aid instruction under the A.R.P. organization here—a class which has the distinction of being the first of its kind to be formed in Canada—last night gave a dinner in the Hongkong Cafe in honor of its instructors, Dr. T. W. A. Gray, surgical instructor, and R. T. Moore, instructor in practical work, under the auspices of the St. John Ambulance Association, Victoria Centre.

The class, voluntarily organized by the Chinese themselves, and entirely financed and managed by them, had reached the halfway mark in its course of instruction in all phases of A.R.P. first-aid work when the Christmas and New Year recess came, and the dinner last night marked the resumption of instruction.

The students, mainly prominent Chinese merchants and businessmen and their sons, indicated that they intended to carry the benefit of the instruction they received to all members of Victoria's Chinese community, and that those who completed the course under Dr. Gray and Mr. Moore would undertake the instruction along similar lines of all other Chinese residents.

In view of the fact that only about 50 per cent of the Chinese have a total command of English, the first-aid class has been conducted in English and Chinese, through the assistance as interpreter of Joseph Hope, organizer of the class and chairman of last night's gathering.

COMMUNITY VALUE

Dr. Gray spoke last night of the value of knowledge of first aid to the community as a whole, especially during the present time of crisis, and expressed warm appreciation of the keen and conscientious interest in the work that had been taken by all members of the Chinese class.

Mun Hope, on behalf of the Chinese Youth Movement, pledged the whole-hearted support of the young Chinese, and spoke of their appreciation of the interest taken by the instructors.

Speaking in Chinese, J. C. Chow and L. Fong encouraged the members of the class to continue their work and to complete the full A.R.P. course, thereby qualifying themselves to look after the needs of the Chinese section of the city in the event of emergency.

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GIVES ADDRESS

An interesting address on the subjects "Union Now" and "An Empire on Guard" was given by Mrs. G. A. Brake, under the auspices of the Victoria Branch of the British-Israel Federation, on Monday evening in the Legion Hall, Langford. Mr. Amoore presided at the meeting.

ANNUAL MEETING OF RETAIL CLERKS HELD

The annual meeting of the Retail Clerks of Local 64 was held on Monday night in the Y.M.C.A. and C. J. Wright was elected president for the coming year.

The remaining officers chosen were C. Ridgway, vice-president; D. McCullough, second vice-president; J. Belton, secretary-treasurer; P. Walls, guardian, and Grece Godfrey, guide.

The various executive members submitted their annual reports, which showed the local to be progressing favorably and at the present time in good financial condition.

The retiring officials were tendered a vote of thanks for their untiring efforts on behalf of the local.

The next meeting will be held on February 10.

Clara, to her old chum: "And that horrid Smith boy that used to pester you with his love-making—does he worry you as much as ever?"

Ethel: "Well, hardly, you see, we are married now!"

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DIES OF INJURY

LADYSMITH, Jan. 15. — Ted Puska, thirty-one, died in the Ladysmith General Hospital yesterday as a result of injuries he received at work in the woods here yesterday evening. He was a loader for the Comox Company. His wife died almost a year ago, and there are two young children, Doreen and Ray, surviving.

BROKEN LINES AND ODD SIZES SOME OF THIS AND SOME OF THAT

WHAT A SALE!

SOILED AND DAMAGED TRAVELERS' SAMPLES

"What a Sale." We called it that because the other big stores have used up all the names for sales. We could call it Big Sale, Fat Sale, or something like that, but you'd say we were screwie, and I wouldn't blame you when you see prices like these.

MEN'S SUITS
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Smart, up-to-date tweeds, but all size 35. Regular $15.00 $9.95

5 ONLY
Men's Overcoats
These are manufacturers' samples—not old moth-eaten junk — but snappy styles in smart fawn tweeds. We have only one in each of these sizes 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40. Regular price $15.00 $9.95

18 ONLY
MEN'S ODD VESTS
If you are a runt of a chap and take size 34, these are up your alley. Regular $1.98 79c

18 ONLY—MEN'S CARDIGAN JACKETS
Brushed wool. All sizes but in wine shade only. Regular $2.50 $1.29

4 ONLY—MEN'S ALPACA COATS
All black and size 44 only. Regular $2.50 98c

12 ONLY—MEN'S ENGLISH RIDING BREECHES
Assorted patterns and sizes. Values to $4 $1.49

6 ONLY—MEN'S UNDERWEAR
"Hatchway's" Combinations; pure fine wool. Long sleeves and legs. Size 34 only. Regular $4.00 $1.98

18 ONLY—MEN'S HATS
Quality good, colors good but in broken sizes. Values to $2.50 98c

68 ONLY—MEN'S CAPS
Fur-lined earflaps. Regular $1.00 69c

WE CAN DISH THEM OUT
Dish Cloths 5¢
Face Cloths 4¢
Tea Towels 10¢
Bleached Pillow Slips 15¢

MEN'S CAPS
Not moth-eaten, not soiled and not bum steer. Just all-wool tweed, that's all 39c

MEN'S WORK SOCKS
Grey or heather shades with purple tops 17c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS
Khaki, blue or navy—broken lines but good sizes 49c

CUCKOO CLOCKS
Three have gone cuckoo, that is they don't cuckoo very good. They need a little fixing. The regular price was $4.00. Fix it and they're yours for half price $1.49

LISTEN, FELLOWS. Have you ever heard of good, snappy, stylish Men's Socks for 5c a pair? Of course you haven't, neither have we. Have you heard of 25c Socks for 9c? Of course you haven't.
"WELL, WE'VE GOT 'EM"
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MEN'S
Windbreakers
Navy blue corduroy, full sheepskin lined. Beaver storm collar, moleskin lined sleeves with knitted storm cuffs. Leather trimmed pockets, full twenty-one-inch zipper. Regular $10.95. Half price $5.95

MEN'S PANTS
Real smart, snappy pinstripes in blue or brown shades. Good assortment of sizes. Regular $2.98 $1.98

TOWELS
SUBSTANDARDS. In other words—soiled, damaged or slightly imperfect. So slight that it is hard to find a fault. White or colored. Large size, 22 x 42 inches. GET 'EM QUICK 35c

AUTO RUGS
Here's a bargain in a cheap car rug. Sateen bound ends, all red. Size 48 x 60 79c

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Men's Fancy Dress Socks. Hundreds of snappy patterns and all sizes. If you don't like them well, you can keep your twelve cents and we'll keep the Socks. Per pair 12c

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Men's Sweater Coats
Jumbo knit with shawl collar. Black or heather. Regular $2.50 $1.49

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MEN'S BIB OVERALLS
Heavy blue with red back 98c
JUMPERS, to match. Sizes up to 46 98c

MEN'S OVERALL PANTS
Genuine eight-ounce, snagproof; black or blue and all sizes. If you don't like 'em at the price, just forget 'em 98c

BOYS' THINGS
GOLF KNEE BREEKS
If you don't mind golf style or Plus Fours, these are a snap. Good assorted wool tweeds. Regular $1.95 49c

BOYS' KNICKERS
Navy English cord in shades of navy, buff and brown. Sizes 6 to 14 98c

BOYS' LONGS
A dandy lot of assorted tweeds with belt loops and cuff bottoms. Sizes 25 to 30. Special $1.49

BOYS' CAPS
Blue chinchilla with fur lining—you know those flap styles to keep your ears warm. Special 25c

BOYS' BICYCLE LEGGINGS
In fawn raincoat cloth. Boys here's a snap. Regular $1.50 49c

6 ONLY, BOYS' MACKINAW COATS
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MEN'S FOOTWEAR—Bargain Table!
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GIRLS' RAINCOATS
Rubberised tweed. Raglan style with belt. Sizes 6 to 10. Regular $4.95 for $2.98

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Assorted prints. Values to $1.00 49c

18 Only, LADIES' DOESKIN GLOVES
Purple only. Regular $1.59 49c

BARGAIN SCRAMBLE
Ladies' Neckwear and Artificial Flowers. Values to 50c 9c

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Ladies' Sweaters, coat or pullover styles. Values to $4.50 $1.95 to 79c

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Values to $3. Plain patterns, prints or crepes. Some good, some bad—it all depends on your taste and contour 98c

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Now listen, ladies, here's your lucky day. These Coats are tailored or fur-trimmed models, smart styles and shades. They are odd lines, one of this and one of that, and that's why they are $12.95

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Say girls! I'll be honest with you. I'm a good husband and an honest man, and I think all ladies' hats are crazy. So here's some "Pancake," "Saucepan" and "Egg Beater" styles. The regular price was $3.00 79c

LADIES' SKIRTS
Good, heavy, all wool English tweeds with pleats at side or back. Values to $3.00 98c

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Soft, white, fleecy flannelette; V-neck and short sleeves and gathered at front with colored stitching 49c

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If our clerks don't rush at you.
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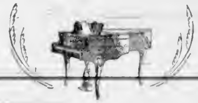

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NANAIMO, Jan 15—Henry Hope was installed president of Nanaimo Kiwanis Club at a well attended annual banquet tonight. Other officers are C. Murray Reynolds, past president; Harry Martin, vice-president; Nicholas Wright secretary for tenth consecutive year. Charles Dakin, Frank Furk and George Kelly, directors.

Lieutenant-Governor De Fore Cramb and Past Lieutenant-Governor Charles Hamilton, of Vancouver, officiated at the installation ceremonies.

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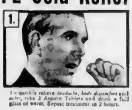

1. To quickly relieve headache, body discomfort and aches, take 2 Aspirin Tablets and drink a full glass of water. Repeat treatment in 2 hours.

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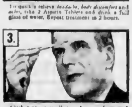

3. Check temperature. If you have a fever and temperature does not go down, if throat pain is not quickly relieved—call your doctor.

Quick-Acting Aspirin "takes hold" in minutes... Don't accept anything else.

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Even the most stubborn cold is quickly relieved this way. Try it. Get Aspirin. All Canadian druggists have it.

Aspirin is made in Canada and is the trademark of The Bayer Company, Ltd.

WARNING! If the word "Bayer" is not on every tablet, it is not Aspirin. Don't let anybody tell you it is.

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REPORTS GIVEN ON ACTIVITIES

New Officers Are Elected at Emmanuel Baptist Church Annual Meeting

A fine spirit of fellowship prevailed at the annual meeting of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, held on Tuesday evening, when encouraging reports were presented by secretaries of the various auxiliary departments of the church as follows: Clerk of the church and trustees, Mrs. V. M. Taylor; board of deacons, W. J. Miles; treasurer's report, T. R. Main; envelope steward's report, G. Erikson; Emmanuel Sunday school, Miss Margaret Heap; Shelbourne Street Mission, including Sunday school and guild, Harold Parfitt; Western Baptist, Mrs W Russell; Lord's Day Alliance, O. F. Waites; music committee, Mrs. G. H. E. Green.

During the year an extensive programme of missionary education and welfare work was undertaken by the women's department of the church and this was shown in the following reports: Women's Mission Circle Mrs G. H. Cogswell; Young Women's Mission Circle, Miss Lilian Parfitt; Junior Mission Circle Miss Opal Abercrombie; Ladies' Aid, Mrs. A. Pinkerton; Women's Auxiliary, Mrs G. Anstey.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Moderator, O. F. Waites; church clerk Mrs. V. M. Taylor; treasurer, T. R. Main; deacons' board, J. R. Clements, C. M. Cross, G. F. Waites, D. E. Smith and W. J. Miles, trustee board, T. R. Main, G. Anstey, H. T. Zala, P. Pearson, A. H. Marrion; ushers, W. Dinsmore and P. Pearson; envelope clerk, G. Erikson; tellers, Mrs. H. Clark, Miss O. Abercrombie, David Parfitt and Arthur Zala.

Western Baptist, Mrs. R. Ovenden; Lord's Day Alliance representative, O. F. Waites; British and Foreign Bible Society representative, Mrs. A. Pinkerton; W.C.T.U. representative, Miss A. Sproule; music committee, Mrs. G. H. E. Green, H. C. Parfitt and Mrs. J. Price; Shelbourne Street Mission, C. M. Cross, P. Hancock and E. Dawson; auditors, W. P. Marchant and J. A. Armstrong, flower committee, Mrs. H. Clark.

O. F. Waites, moderator, presided over the meeting, at the close of which Rev. W. L. MacKay gave a brief address on "The Working Church."

FORMER RESIDENT OF NANAIMO DIES

Mrs. David E. Breckenridge Passes in General Hospital—Funeral Here on Friday

At Nanaimo General Hospital, there passed away yesterday Mrs. Violet Ethel Breckenridge, aged thirty-three years, wife of David Edgar Breckenridge, Patricia Bay. Mrs. Breckenridge was born in Calgary, and had been a resident of Victoria and district for the past twenty-two years.

Mrs Breckenridge was a graduate of Victoria College here, and was formerly on the teaching staff of the city schools. Mr Breckenridge is superintendent of the North Saanich schools and is a former principal of the Nanaimo Public School. News of the passing of Mrs. Breckenridge will be learned with regret by a wide circle of friends in Nanaimo and Victoria.

She is mourned by, besides her widower her parents, Mr and Mrs George H. Guy, and one sister, Miss Hilda Guy, of this city.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from McCall's Funeral Chapel at 3.15 o'clock. Rev W. G. Wilson, D.D., will officiate, and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

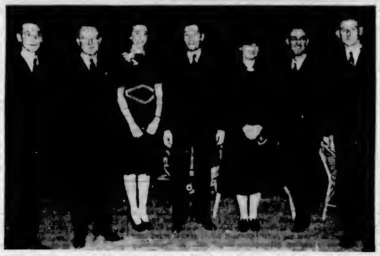
Year's Work Is Reviewed By Institute

Mrs A Mossop was elected president of the Esquimalt W.I. at the annual meeting held on Tuesday evening in St. Paul's Parish Hall. Other officers chosen were Mrs A Songhurst, first vice-president, Mrs. T Bradley, second vice-president; Mrs G Wise, secretary; Mrs. N. Kelly, treasurer; conveners, home economics, Mrs. Wise, industries, Mrs F B Allen; better schools, Mrs. J. P Hicks; ways and means, Mrs W. Grimer; community betterment, Mrs. M McDuff, sick visitor, Mrs. Kelly, publicity, Mrs. Wise and auditors, Mr T. Cave and Mr. G. Wise.

The members stood in silent tribute to the memory of the late Mrs. T. C Robson, past president of the district board for many years, who recently passed away. Letters of thanks for Christmas cheer were received and a report of the industries committee was given by Mrs. Allen. Fortnightly card games had been held during the year as well as a special turkey drive, a sale of work and a silver tea. Members had been active in Red Cross and Solarium work. Thirty-seven articles, including fifteen pairs of slippers for children in England, were received. Twenty articles were made for the Solarium, including vests, pullovers, leggings, babies' jackets and hot water bottle covers. The sum of $20 was given to the Royal Jubilee Hospital building fund and linen for a cot replenished.

Ten dollars was given to the Community Chest, the Protestant Orphanage, the T.V.A. Association and the Solarium linen shower each received $5. Gifts were sent to two "adopted" children and 100 pounds of sugar and boxes of jam sent to the Solarium. Mrs. E Hicks appealed for postage stamps to send to the Crippled Children's Hospital in London.

Beaver Club Holds Annual Banquet



Holding their eighteenth annual banquet at the Crystal Garden on Tuesday night, the Beaver Club members of the Hudson's Bay Company elected their new officers for the year, and enjoyed an evening of entertainment and dancing. Shown in the top picture are, from left to right: J. Walton, board member, L. J. D. Smith, retiring Beaver Club president; A. J. Watson, store manager, and Miss L. Robinson, board member. In the bottom picture are shown the new board members, from left to right: R. Eaton, L. J. D. Smith, Miss L. Robinson, G. Benson, Miss M. Marconini, C. Walton and G. Craig. Not shown in the picture are K. Cave and R. H. Davidson.

Elected President of Kinsmen Club

HAROLD WINTERBURN

WHO was recently elected president of the Victoria Kinsmen Club for the ensuing year. Mr Winterburn succeeded Victor Gilbert as head of the service club.

Announcements

Superfluous hair, moles, birth marks, etc., removed by Electrolysis. Miss Hanman, specialist, London, England, over twenty-five years practical experience. Recommended by the medical profession, positive cure guaranteed, call for booklet. Phone G 7642, 203 Scollard Building.

Wedding Stationery—Invitations, Announcements, At Home and Reception Cards, etc. For correct styles and quality materials see The Colonist Printing Department.

Royal Oak Inn — Cosy fireside luncheons, teas and dinners. Supper dances Saturdays. For all reservations phone Colq. 152. New heating system installed.

Anti-Vivisection Society, annual meeting Thursday, January 23, 8 o'clock Victoria Truth Centre, 734 Fort Street.

The Old Charming Inn, formerly Oak Bay Hotel. Comfortable rooms, excellent meals. G 0267.

Free — Colonist Cookbook, now available. Circulation Department.

Free—Colonist Song Sheets. Advertising Department.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. Harmful poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, sunk and the world looks punk.

A mere bowel movement doesn't always get at the cause. You need something that works on the liver as well. It takes those good, old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." Harmless and gentle, they make the bile flow freely. They do the work of calomel but have no calomel or mercury in them. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name! Stubbornly refuse anything else. 25c.

City and District

Directors to Meet—Directors of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at 3.30 p.m. tomorrow.

Chimney Fire—The city fire department answered a call at 11.30 yesterday morning at 231 Moss Street to extinguish a chimney fire. No damage was reported.

Will Open Tenders—Tenders for painting the interior of a provincial building at Creston will be opened at noon today by Hon. C. S Leary, at the Department of Public Works.

Fines Imposed — Five motorists were each fined $5 and costs by Magistrate Henry C Hall in Provincial Police Court yesterday on charges of failing to stop at a stop sign.

Jehovah's Witnesses — Fourteen carefully wrapped packages of Jehovah's Witness booklets were distributed in the city yesterday, according to police reports. The booklets were collected by the city police.

Speaking Tonight—Mrs. D Abraham will be the guest speaker this evening at a public meeting to be held at 8 o'clock in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. "The Last Crusade" will be the subject of her address.

To Be Summoned—The driver of a car that collided with an automobile parked on Johnson Street under an arc lamp Tuesday night will be summoned for dangerous driving, according to the city police yesterday.

Collections High—Prepayments of city taxes up to Tuesday evening totaled $327,448.35, an increase of $28,567 over the total prepaid at the corresponding date last year, according to figures issued by the assessor-collector's department yesterday.

Struck by Auto—Lee Lum, 3344 Shelbourne Street, was injured on Shelbourne Street last night when he was struck by a car driven by Ju Gee Louie, 829 North Park Street. He was taken to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, where he was treated by Dr Brillon.

Arena Questionnaire — In order that the fate of Victoria's ice arena proposal may be determined, the Junior Chamber of Commerce arena committee is making an urgent appeal to all subscribers to the fund to return their questionnaires as quickly as possible whether or not they favor the scheme.

City Temperatures—Maximum and minimum temperatures recorded yesterday at the Dominion Meteorological Observatory on Gonzales Hill were 50 and 42 degrees, respectively. The maximum temperature observed on the grounds of the Strathcona Hotel was 51 degrees, and the minimum 43 degrees. The precipitation at the latter location was .01 inch.

Social Agencies Report—The regular meeting of the Council of Social Agencies will be held on Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Y.M.C.A. The guest speaker will be Dr. W. N. Sage, head of the department of history, University of British Columbia, who will speak on the Sirois Report on Dominion-Provincial relations. As this subject is one of great interest to social workers, it is hoped that members will make a special effort to attend.

To Repair Building—The Bank of Toronto yesterday took out a permit at the City Hall for repairs to the bank's building at 1405 Douglas Street. The work, to cost $2,500, consists of the removal of the deteriorated terra cotta cornice on the first story projection and replacement with a new type of terra cotta cornice with less overhang. Parfitt Bros. Ltd., are the contractors.

Auto Accident—Saanich police reported an accident at Cedar Hill and Blenkinsop Roads Tuesday night, when damage to the extent of $300 was sustained to an automobile driven by Donald Wilson, Lookout, Cordova Bay. The car driven by Wilson was in collision with an auto driven by Frank Gaskell, of North Quadra Street, which sustained lesser damage.

International Situation—"The International Situation in the Light of the Bible" is the special subject of the Hebrew Christian, Rev. Jacob Peltz, Ph.B., B.D., who will tell of the persecutions of Jews in concentration camps, in the Central Baptist Church tonight at 8 o'clock. Mr Peltz is the general secretary of the International Hebrew Christian Alliance and recently returned from traveling the British Isles, Europe and Asia Minor, and has seen much of Nazi oppression.

Invasion of Holland—Captain A Kerkhoven, an officer in the Royal Netherlands Army, will speak on "The German Invasion of Holland" at a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club, in the Empress Hotel next Monday at 12.15 p.m. When Holland was invaded Captain Kerkhoven was in Paris on a military mission and failing in an attempt to return to his own country, returned to Paris, later proceeding to London. He is in Canada as a member of the Royal Netherlands Military Mission.

Freight Rate Increase to Be Opposed

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP)—A group of manufacturers meeting today under the auspices of a branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association decided to continue the fight against the announced increase of transcontinental freight rates, and mapped out a programme of action.

The meeting decided to form at once a general committee of representatives of all interests affected and to endorse a formal application to the Board of Transport Commissioners for postponement of the increase until hearings can be held, preferably in Vancouver.

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GOOD PROGRESS AT TABERNACLE

Annual Meeting Reveals Fine Fellowship Among Members of Church

Reports presented last night at the annual meeting of the Gospel Tabernacle of the Christian and Missionary Alliance showed affairs to be in a splendid condition, and a fine community spirit evident among the members of the congregation.

The pastor, Rev. Frederic M. Landis, presided and expressed his appreciation of the fellowship which he had found to be such a marked feature since he came here last Easter, succeeding Rev. N. Birgin in the pastorate.

Secretary James Pickard gave a resume of church activities for the past year, speaking of the special events and speakers arranged by the church.

W. H. Waind, in presenting the treasurer's report, stated that church finances were in a favorable condition, with an increase in the current expense revenues. He discussed the building of the new tabernacle on Yates Street, near Cook, which was a fine edifice and was free of debt.

NEW OFFICERS

The report of the Women's Mission Circle was given by Mrs F. Hopkins, and revealed much good work accomplished.

New officers elected for the coming year were: Secretary, James Pickard; treasurer, W. H Waind; financial secretary, Mrs. Clara D. Murray; missionary treasurer, Mrs. George Hamilton, board member, George Philpott, the foregoing forming the church executive.

Others elected included: Trustees, James Pickard and Percy Calwell for three years, and J. B. Allingham for one year; deaconesses, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. J. Hudson; communion stewardesses, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Ted Smith; Sunday school superintendent, Mrs. Hamilton.

The pastor is ex-officio member of all committees.

RED CROSS

COLUMBA UNIT

An old-time dance will be held in the Strawberry Vale Hall tomorrow at 8.30 p.m., under the auspices of the Columba Red Cross Unit. Mr. T. Scaife with his well-known orchestra, is once more donating his services to the Red Cross funds. Good refreshments will be served by Mrs. F. Stacey with other helpers from the Columba Unit. A large crowd is expected to fill the hall.

DON'T SELL SUPPLIES

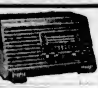
Re-emphasis of the fact that the Red Cross does not sell its supplies to soldiers or anyone else is constantly being made by the organization. The following, which appeared in The Red Cross Journal recently, brings out the point once more.

Red Cross workers are sometimes saddened and discouraged by reports that our men are writing home from overseas, complaining that the Red Cross is "selling" its supplies to them. The Red Cross does not sell its supplies, so every effort has been made to find out if any dishonest person is selling them for personal profit; so far, no such person has been found and even the names of the writers of these supposed letters of complaint cannot be obtained.

A patient in our Canadian Red Cross Hospital in England has this to say:

"The Red Cross certainly deserves a lot of credit for what they are doing for us. They do a wonderful work, too, among the refugees who have lost their homes. Everything is gone for some and they are in a bad way with Winter nearly on them.

"I used to think the Red Cross was a 'racket,' but, believe me, I know better now. I have seen with my own eyes how their money is spent. Everything in this hospital has been supplied by them, even the beds, tables and bed clothes. The ward I am in was supplied by the Province of Quebec Red Cross, and each province has its own ward. It sure is a lovely place."



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Women's Organizations and Activities

Red Cross Helped by Little Girl

[illegible] old Eva Bernard closed her individual appeal for the Lord Mayor of London's Fund here today after having collected $154.21.

The money was turned over to J. Irvine, president of the Canadian Red Cross here, which society gave the child permission to use their emblems during her canvass. The money will be earmarked for child air raid victims.

Eva has been a familiar figure on local streets during the past two weeks. Dressed in a Red Cross costume, her only equipment was a sixty-six-year-old doll, which her grandmother brought from France more than fifty years ago.

The life-sized doll received a broken leg, crushed hand and head injuries since it became the property of Eva, who had the injuries "first aided." Placed in a baby carriage, the doll was pushed along city streets by Eva. She also canvassed nearby rural districts in all kinds of weather. It is her second achievement. The first time she sold tickets to the amount of $103, raffling a wooly toy dog.

In congratulating the little girl, Mayor V. B. Harrison said that her total collection of $257 ranked her first in individual war effort here and most likely "tops" in the Dominion of Canada in the juvenile class.

Eva received fine support from her grandmother, Mrs. Irma Bernard, who believes she has a score to settle with Germany for the last war, all her relatives in France having been killed at that time.

Eva's great-great-grandmother was recognized for bravery by Queen Victoria after the Crimean War and Grandmother Irma Bernard here received a letter from Her Majesty Queen Mary in recognition of sixty-[illegible] the Great War, for which she purchased materials out of her modest living allowance.

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Clubs—Societies

Catholic Women's League

The monthly meeting of the Senior Subdivision of the C.W.L. was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, the president, Mrs. W. C. McManus, in the chair. The members were introduced to Madame Harand, lately of Vienna, Austria, but now a refugee living in New York, who gave a most interesting address on her work and writings in Vienna and other European countries before the Nazi regime. The meeting endorsed a resolution brought forward by the Local Council of Women to the effect that as far as possible merchandise be not purchased from stores continuing to handle goods from alien countries. This at the present moment had reference to the sale of Japanese oranges in various stores in Victoria and vicinity. The usual regular hospital visiting report was given by Mrs. Blair Reid, and for the coming month this work will be carried on by Mrs. McIsaac and Mrs. P. C. Shaw. Reporting on education, Mrs. Ebbs-Canavan gave the names of prize winners at St. Ann's Academy at the closing of the Fall term exercises. An employment and housing committee to aid strangers coming to Victoria to find work and accommodation was arranged with Mrs. McManus, Superior Street, as convener. This committee will function in co-operation with a similar committee arranged by the Junior League with Miss Mona Doyle as convener. Red Cross and war effort activities were reported on by Mrs. Blair Reid, convener of the C.W.L. Unit. A list of articles made was read and donations given of $12.50 to Red Cross and $5 to K. of C. huts. Welcome was extended to Mrs. Rooney, a former president of the C.W.L. at Port Alberni. Plans were briefly made for an affair of some kind to raise funds to carry on the work of the league.

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Overseas Nurses

The monthly meeting of Victoria unit of the Overseas Nurses' Association took place last night at the home of Mrs. D. M. McAuley, 1756 Adanac Street. The president, Miss M. E. Morrison, was in the chair, and fifteen members were present to hear the report given by Mrs. S. G. Cave concerning the activities of the unit's auxiliary to the Esquimalt Military Hospital. In this it was shown that Christmas gifts had been given to 100 patients, eight chairs and two electric clocks presented to the hospital, and 161 surgical supplies completed. The sum of $3 had been voted toward the Florence Nightingale fund, and seven sick members were visited and remembered with flowers. The unit's Red Cross workroom, it was announced, will be reopened shortly in the Market Building. Following the formal part of the meeting, there was a social half-hour, during which refreshments, convened by Mrs. J. A. Craig, were served from an attractively-appointed table centred with pink chrysanthemums. Mrs. Cave poured tea. The next meeting of the unit will be on Wednesday, February 19, at Mrs. Cave's home, 520 St. Patrick Street.

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Mothers' Union

The quarterly meeting of the Shawnigan Branch of the Mothers' Union was held at the home of Mrs. A. Sutton, Shawnigan, on Tuesday afternoon. Devotional exercises were led by Mrs. F. J. P. Gibson, enrolling member. Interesting letters and Christmas cards were read from friends in Canada and England. No link letter had been received from the branch's linked union at South Bersted, England. The enrolling member again urged the members to continued efforts in their Red Cross and refugee work. A letter of thanks was read from Miss Creasor for the annual parcel sent by the members to the V.O.N. in Victoria. A donation was voted toward the church caravan work formerly supported by the Mothers' Union in England. Mrs. J. B. Bell was appointed tea convener. Miss Joan Sullivan Duncan then gave an interesting talk on the "Sunday-School-by-Post" caravan work, and her experiences with a caravan on the Prairie. Tea was served by Mrs. F. M. Gannon, Mrs. G. Orr, Mrs. J. Bell and Mrs. R. Horton.

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Forestry Corps Auxiliary

The newly-formed auxiliary to the 6th and 7th Forestry Corps, A.F., met at the home of Mrs. A. Gordon, Wilmot Place, on Tuesday afternoon, when preliminary plans were made to supply the men with local papers and magazines. It was also decided to ask the officer commanding for a list of the local men in order that everyone connected with them may be given an opportunity to join and help in sending comforts to the boys overseas. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Smith, 2719 Fernwood Road, on Tuesday, January 28, at 3 p.m. Anyone wishing to attend may obtain particulars by telephoning E 7810 or E 7718.

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Emmanuel Circle

The Women's Mission Circle of Emmanuel Baptist Church held its monthly meeting recently, with the new president, Mrs. E. Russell, in the chair. Two new members were welcomed, Mrs. MacKay and Mrs. Walters. A duet sung by Mrs. H. Clark and Mrs. Walters was enjoyed. Annual reports were read and accepted. Mrs. H. Parfitt, the treasurer, announced that the budget was raised. The speaker for the afternoon was Rev. Mr. MacKay, the new pastor, who enthusiastically [illegible] missions. Mr. MacKay closed the meeting with prayer.

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Cadboro Bay Guild

St. George's Mission Ladies' Guild held its annual meeting at "Lingerfields" recently, with the president in the chair. The treasurer's report showed a most encouraging year. All officers were re-elected as follows: President, Mrs. V. Sherman; treasurer, Mrs. R. Hincks; secretary, Mrs. W. L. Wardale; vice-presidents and committee, Mesdames F. Harwood, G. Stewart and Miss Scholefield.

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Athena Club

The monthly meeting of the Athena Club was held at the home of Mrs. Alexander, Thompson Avenue, recently. Members were requested to bring in their finished garments for the February meeting. A social was enjoyed after the meeting and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Sparkes, Woodstock Avenue, on February 3.

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Sherwood Auxiliary

The birthday meeting of the Sherwood Auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Belmont United Church has been postponed until Thursday, January 23, at 2:30 p.m.

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Britannia Branch W.A.

The W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, will hold a cribbage and court whist party this evening at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms.

Spending Winter in Arizona

—Photo by Tucson News Service

Mrs. Nicholas Van der Vliet and Her Son, Edward, Are Two Victorians Who Are Enjoying the Warmth of the Sun at Tucson, Arizona, Where They Are Spending a Winter Vacation on the Circle "Z" Ranch.

Weddings

SCHULTZ—BLAND

The marriage took place quietly last evening at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, between Miss Joan Bland, Victoria, and Lieut. Robert Dunlop Schultz, R.C.A., Vancouver. Capt. the Rev. T. dePencier officiated.

HOLLOWAY—CHRISTOPHERSON

A quiet wedding took place at St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, Esquimalt, on Tuesday evening when Rev. W. C. Western, D.D., united in marriage Evelyn Rose Christopherson, R.N., daughter of Mrs. Christopherson, Saskatoon, Sask., and Mr. Alfred Richard Holloway, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Holloway, Ocre River, Man.

The bride wore a smart dress of powder blue crepe with wine accessories and a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and violets. Her matron of honor, Mrs. A. B. Southon, wore a gown of air force blue crepe with wine accessories and a bouquet of pink carnations and fern. The best man was Mr. A. B. Southon, R.C.N.

After the ceremony the wedding party was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Southon, 441 Constance Avenue, where a buffet supper was served by the groom's sisters, Mrs. J. Lackie and Mrs. F. Thacker. The bride and groom left by motor for a honeymoon Up-Island.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. H. McIntyre, Misses Muriel Fowler, R.N., Miss Phyllis Grey, R.N., Miss Dorothy Chopal, R.N., Mr. F. McCollum, R.C.N., and Mr. J. Lackie.

KOWALSKI—SIMPSON

Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiated at a pretty wedding last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 1622 Camosun Street, when Dorothy, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. Simpson, became the bride of Mr. Roy Kowalski, only son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Kowalski, Vernon, B.C. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath a white trellised arch entwined with ferns and ivy, between baskets of yellow and white chrysanthemums. The wedding marches were played by Mrs. Freda Groves, who also accompanied Mrs. James Locke, who sang as the register was being signed and again later, her selections including "My World" and "Bird of Love Divine."

The charming bride was given away by her father and wore an afternoon frock of powder blue crepe with a black hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and carnations. The bridesmaid was Miss Audrey Marshall, wearing a Monterey rose frock and turban and a corsage spray of pink and white carnations. Samuel Tanner, R.C.C.S., was best man.

Only relatives and a few friends were present at the service and reception which followed and were welcomed by Mrs. Simpson in a queen's blue gown with a corsage bouquet of carnations. Tall white tapers in silver candelabra and vases of pink chrysanthemums, violets and snowdrops adorned the supper table in the centre of which stood the wedding cake, surrounded by pink tulle and surmounted by a miniature bride and groom. For a honeymoon trip to Vernon, the bride wore a fitted black coat trimmed with caracul over her wedding dress.

Mr. and Mrs. Kowalski will make their home on Pembroke Street on their return. Miss Elsie Baker, Vancouver, was a guest at the wedding.

AARONSON—WALL

The marriage of Beatrice Irene, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Wall, Saskatoon, and Mr. Gordon A. Aaronson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Aaronson, Mears Street, was quietly solemnized by Captain the Rev. Arthur Bischlager in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church, at 8.30 o'clock last evening. Pale yellow and white chrysanthemums arranged on the altar made a background for the ceremony, and the organist was in attendance.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore an afternoon frock of pastel blue crepe with a pearl-trimmed lace yoke, brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of white orchids. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Henry Horsman, Vancouver, in a two-tone rose dress with black accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias, and Mr. Richard Flannigan was best man.

A reception for relatives was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents, where the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Wall in a navy blue ensemble, and by Mrs. Aaronson, who was dressed in black, and both wore shoulder sprays of roses. The supper table was covered with a lace cloth and decorated with pale pink tapers and pink carnations, all in crystal holders, and centred with the cake. For a honeymoon on the Mainland the bride left in a "soldier" blue suit trimmed with velvet, a matching hat and a long muskrat coat.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaronson will make their home at 1507 Laurel Lane.

Will Tell Story Of Invasion of The Netherlands

"The German Invasion of Holland" will be the subject of an address to be given by Capt. A. Kerk Hoven to the Women's Canadian Club on Monday next at the Empress Hotel. Capt. Kerk Hoven came to Canada last September as a member of the Royal Netherlands Military Mission and is liaison officer for his Government with the Canadian Government. He has a charming personality and speaks English well.

At the time war broke out Captain Kerk Hoven was on a Government mission in Paris negotiating on war trade matters. During mobilization in Holland he was assistant chief of the Bureau for Economical Defence Preparations. He tried to get back to his country, but failed on account of the extraordinary circumstances and was forced to return to Paris, from where he went to London, where he immediately joined up with the Royal Netherlands army. Since then he has been working with the other Dutch officers under the Dutch Government in London in the retraining of troops who escaped and managed to reach England.

He will explain the background of the German invasion of Holland and then lead on to the present-day position of The Netherlands in this war, and hopes to give Canadians a better understanding of their allies. Dudley Wickett will be the soloist, accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Warn.

Annual Meeting Of Red Cross to Be Held Tuesday

The annual general meeting of the Victoria and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society will be held (by courtesy of the management), in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel, Tuesday, January 21, at 2.30 p.m., when the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place. The financial statement of accounts and reports of the past year's activities will be presented and any other Red Cross business discussed.

Contributors and workers are cordially invited to be present and as it is not possible to send individual invitations to the meeting it is hoped this notice will be accepted as an invitation to be present.

In accordance with the constitution of the Red Cross Society, only life members and those who have contributed $1 or more a year to the funds of the society during the year ended December 31, 1940, are entitled to vote or to make nominations for the 1941 executive committee. Such nominations should be sent to the honorary secretary, Colonel R. S. Worsley, Red Cross headquarters, 605 Courtney Street, up to twenty-four hours before the time of the meeting.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Social and Personal

Seattle Symphony Orchestra

Of interest in Victoria musical [illegible] in Seattle that Dr. Nikolai Sokoloff director of the Seattle Symphony for the past three years, will not be engaged next year. This was made known at the annual meeting of contributors to the orchestra by Mr. Thomas M Pelly, retiring president [illegible] tion, who said that the executive committee would be able to announce a successor shortly. Sir Thomas Beecham, founder and conductor of the London Philharmonic Orchestra, has been mentioned for the Seattle post. It was reported unofficially that Sir Thomas might take the posts of leading both the Seattle and the Vancouver orchestras, conducting them alternately. Dr Sokoloff who is in New York [illegible] concert, February 3. The last concert of the season, and the last which he will conduct, is scheduled for February 17. Mr Paul C. Harper, investment broker, was elected president to succeed Mr. Pelly.

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Miscellaneous Shower

Miss Audrey Marshall entertained a number of friends on Monday evening at the home of her mother, 1275 Balmoral Road, when a miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Dorothy Simpson, whose marriage to Mr. Roy Kowalski took place last evening. Corsage bouquets were presented to Mrs. Simpson and to the guest of honor, who also received a box containing the many gifts. Games were played and the prize winners were Misses Lily Beckett, Pat Phipps and Yvonne Simpson. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table, a low blue bowl of deep pink chrysanthemums in the centre. The invited guests were Mesdames Harold Simpson, Harry [illegible] Marshall and Misses Lily Beckett, Vivian Curtis, Yvonne Simpson, Evelyn Fishlock, Elsie Baker (Vancouver), Winnie Oxendale, Margaret Marshall, Pat Phipps, Muriel Oxendale and Audrey Marshall.

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Honored Bride-to-Be

A miscellaneous shower was given recently by Mrs. C. Matte, Doncaster Drive, in honor of Miss Vivian Harknett, whose marriage to Sergeant W K. Smith, R.C.A.F., will take place in Regina shortly. A corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and violets was presented to Miss Harknett upon her arrival. The pretty gifts were concealed in the heart of a giant pink rose, artistically made. The bride-to-be, Mrs. Fred Provincial and Miss Verna Barnes were the prize winners of the amusing games played during the evening. Later a buffet supper was served. The guests were Mesdames George Griffin, P. Edwards, F. Anderson, George Harknett, P. Wheeler, A. Duckworth, F. Mellan, F. Provincial, [illegible] Reside, George Payne, and Misses Margaret Harknett, Helen Humber, Verna Barnes and Gladys Rawlings.

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Was Guest of Honor

Miss Jennie Zarelli, a bride-to-be of this month, was the guest of honor last evening at a miscellaneous shower given by Miss Ethyl Speller, Carey Road. Chrysanthemums and carnations in pastel shades were prettily used in the rooms where the guests enjoyed an evening of games and contests. On her arrival Miss Zarelli was given a corsage bouquet of pink carnations and then a box, decorated with pink and green crepe paper and containing the many pretty and useful gifts, was presented to her. A buffet supper was later served by the hostess. The invited guests were Mesdames W. McKinnon, P. Politano, F. Zarelli, M. O. Speller, D. Politano, S Swetnam, A. Philpott, G. Clare, P Politano, Jr., M. Speller, L. Speller, R. Rochon, T. Zefris, and Misses Iris and Grace Swetnam and Florence McKinnon.

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Gifts of China

Members of her bridge club met at the home of Miss Vivian Harknett, Ellice Street, on Tuesday evening for their usual game of bridge, the winners being Misses Myrtle Bell and Carla Ellis. Before the refreshments were served, Miss Isla Mitchell, on behalf of the players, presented Miss Harknett, who is to be married shorty, with several lovely pieces of china in the Hainan pattern, to be added to her tea set. Those present were Misses Myrtle Bell, Helen Mitchell, Stella Buttle, Carla Ellis, Kathie Foubister, Isla Mitchell and Gladys Huick.

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Shower for Bride

A shower was held recently at the home of Miss E. Watkiss in honor of Mrs. John Kirk (nee Farrell). The guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet of roses and a gift of bed linen from her friends. Games were played during the evening, prizes being won by Miss F. Jones, Miss E. Collins and Miss L. Farrell. Among those invited were Misses Lorna Elliott, Ella Mitchell, Lillian Johnson, May Lewis, Joan Tuckwell, Muriel Olll, Edna Kirkbride, Pat Smirl, Eleanor Hourston, Eileen Collins, Flo Jones and Mrs. H. Turner.

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Hostess to Blind Choir

Mrs. H. W. Mellish, 3130 Balfour Avenue, was hostess on Tuesday afternoon to the Blind Choir and their escorts for tea. During the afternoon a very delightful programme of songs and music was enjoyed. Solos were given by Mrs. E. Watling, Mr. E. Turner and Mr. A. Crocker, accompanied by Mrs. J. Robson. The guests included Mr and Mrs A. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Mr. and Mrs F. F. Dearborn, Mr and Mrs. E. Turner, Mesdames J. Robson, F. Harfield, C. Alexander and Misses D. Stark, Beacon and Draper.

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To Attend Business School

Miss Lorna Archer-Houblon has arrived from Okanagan Landing to attend St. Margaret's Business School, and is at present staying at St. Margaret's School for Girls.

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Back From Nanaimo

Mrs. I. M C. Thompson, Ottawa, has returned from visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Planta, in Nanaimo, and is now residing at Hampton Court for the remainder of the Winter.

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Back From Portland

Colonel and Mrs. T. M Knox, 1509 Rockland Avenue, have returned from a month's visit in Portland with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Knox.

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Here for Winter

Mrs. I. S. Walwyn and Mrs. McMurchy, Toronto, arrived yesterday afternoon to spend the Winter months here at the Empress Hotel.

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From Winnipeg

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Muir, Winnipeg, arrived here yesterday and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Leaves for Winnipeg

Lieut.-Col. M. R. Ten Broeke left yesterday for Winnipeg after spending a fortnight's leave in Victoria.

Arctic Studio Here to Close For Duration

The Arctic Studio, 815 Fort Street, familiar to Coast tourists for many years, has decided to close temporarily owing to the wartime difficulty of importing the type of chrome, metal, glass, pottery, and Eskimo ivory curios which have made the collection unique.

The collection is the lineal descendant of that started forty-two years ago in Dawson by the late Morte H. Craig. The present owner is his grandson, J. D. O. McTavish, now in the Royal Canadian Artillery, who has followed the general plan laid down by the founder, although from a small beginning the collection developed into a gift-shop of distinction, wiht novelties peculiar to the Northland. The shop has been at its present location for the past seven years, coming here from Prince Rupert, where the business operated for twenty-three years after being removed by Mr Craig from Dawson.

P.-T.A. Activities

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS

[illegible] of the Sir James Douglas Adolescent Study Group was held at the home of Mrs. Fyfe. The next meeting will be held on January 27 at the home of Mrs. Yardley, 145 Wellington Street, when the study of the new book, "Normal Youth and Its Everyday Problems," will begin.

Anglican Young People

ST. JOHN'S

Members of St. John's Association heard an interesting address by Rev. George Biddle on Tuesday. Further arrangements were made for the forthcoming annual dance, to be held at the Crystal Garden on January 31. Next Tuesday a business meeting will be held.

ATHLETE IS KILLED WORKING IN MINE

SUDBURY, Ont., Jan. 15 (CP).—Don Sloan, twenty-four, well-known nickel belt athlete, was killed today when caught beneath a fall of loose earth on the 1,200-foot level of Falconbridge Nickel Mines here. A fellow worker of Sloan, A. R. McBain, suffered a broken right leg.

Mine officials said the two men were "posting up" some loose earth when the fall occurred in some unexplained manner.

Sloan was a hockey and soccer player.

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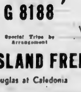
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At the Theatres

TIM HOLT PLAYS "THE FARGO KID"

Actor's Second Starring Action Film Set Amid Breath-Taking Grandeur in Utah

Marking his second starring action film, Tim Holt's new vehicle "The Fargo Kid" which opens today at the Rio Theatre, presents a vivid picture of frontier days during the gold era in its tense adventure story.

The Kid's assumption of the identity of a notorious bandit sets off the drama, much of which was photographed amid the breath-taking grandeur of the Escalante Mountains in Utah near Zion National Park.

A young cowboy traveling to meet his friends in the mining town of Micaville, encounters a bandit in the desert. The Kid is forced to take the bandit's horse after the bandit has tried to hold him up. Because of the horse, the Kid is mistaken for the outlaw-to-arrival, and the town accepts a thoroughgoing scoundrel hires him to murder an elderly prospector on whose claim there is a secret vein of valuable ore.

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AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas — Wallace Beery in "Wyoming."

Cadet — "Gold Rush Maisie," with Ann Sothern.

Capitol—Paul Muni in "Hudson's Bay."

Dominion — "Christmas In July," with Dick Powell.

Oak Bay—Deanna Durbin in "Spring Parade."

Plaza — "The Thief of Bagdad," with June Duprez.

Rio—Tim Holt in "The Fargo Kid."

York—John Drinkwater in "A Family of Nations."

CAPITOL SHOWING "HUDSON'S BAY"

Tingling Adventure Story Stars Paul Muni With Gene Tierney And Nigel Bruce

Twentieth Century-Fox takes motivogram down the paths of pulse-tingling adventure in its newest production, "Hudson's Bay" which opens today at the Capitol Theatre. A two-fisted drama of the frozen north and empire building, the film stars Paul Muni in a role unlike any he ever had—as Pierre Radisson, colorful and daring renegade who saved a new world for the King who ordered him hanged.

A major portion of "Hudson's Bay" was filmed on location outdoors. A small army of actors, prop-men and technicians was assembled for work under Director Irving Pichel. Seen in the brilliant cast are lovely Gene Tierney, Laird Cregar, John Sutton, Virginia Field, Vincent Price and Nigel Bruce.

ANN SOTHERN IN TITLE ROLE

Blonde Star Finds New Adventures On Arizona Desert as "Gold Rush Maisie"

Ann Sothern, who characterizes the attractive showgirl with the whiplash tongue and the heart of gold as no one else can, returns to her familiar and popular role with more hilarious results than ever before in "Gold Rush Maisie," which opens today at the Cadet Theatre.

This time Maisie, who began her screen career in a ranch setting and then jumped to the African jungle in her second adventure is adrift in the midst of the Arizona desert when her old jalopy breaks down while she is en route to a cafe-singing job. By the time she's through she has seen the coyotes tamed.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP.)—F. R. Harrison, Western representative of the Dominion Department of Labor, negotiating the strike of sixty-two waiters and bus boys from the Hotel Vancouver here, said today that the strike is still deadlocked despite meetings with both sides.

Is Lovely Star of "Spring Parade"

DEANNA DURBIN

WHO is starred with Robert Cummings in the film "Spring Parade," which opens today at the Oak Bay Theatre.

WALLACE BEERY ON ATLAS SCREEN

Has Comical Courtship With Marjorie Main in "Wyoming," Which Opens Today

Thrills of the pioneer West mingled with uproarious comedy being Wallace Beery to the screen in a fast-moving drama of the great outdoors in "Wyoming," which opens today at the Atlas Theatre.

Amid Indian battles, raids on cattle thieves and other exciting detail, played against the majestic Teton Mountains in Wyoming, Beery engages in a courtship with Marjorie Main that provides him with his most comical romance since "Min and Bill" serenading his lady love with a harmonica and engaging in comedy episodes with Leo Carrillo. The young romance is between Ann Rutherford, of the Judge Hardy Family series, and Lee Bowman.

OAK BAY BOOKS "SPRING PARADE"

Deanna Durbin Sings Four Numbers In Beautiful Film With Robert Cummings

"Spring Parade" opens tonight at the Oak Bay Theatre, starring Deanna Durbin.

The picture presents the star as a young village girl who goes to the city. In the metropolis she meets and falls in love with Robert Cummings, a young blade, and the picture tells the progress of their love affair over a bumpy—and highly laugh-filled—road of complications.

Deanna sings three beautifully than ever four numbers—three of them from the pen of Robert Stolz famous Viennese musician who composed, among others, the beautiful "Two Hearts in Three-Quarter Time." The fourth is "Blue Danube Dream." All four carry words by Gus Kahn, dean of American lyric writers.

YORK In "The Family of Nations," currently showing at the York Theatre, is the largest group of famous people that have ever paraded across the silver screen. John Drinkwater, who wrote the script, has lived up to his reputation and does a magnificent job. George Bernard Shaw appears in it. Winston Churchill, the epitome of dogged British courage and perseverance, appears with Neville Chamberlain, Lady Astor, Lloyd George and many other world notables.

PLAZA Baroa, once the greatest seaport town of ancient Persia form one of the most spectacular sets constructed for Alexander Korda's "The Thief of Bagdad," the Technicolor adventure romance now showing at the Plaza Theatre in this scene there appear Eileen Ivan Jinks, their stamina rising twenty-five feet out of the water.

DOMINION "Christmas In July," which ends today at the Dominion Theatre, co-starring Dick Powell and Ellen Drew, is an original story by Preston Sturges. Powell plays the role of a clerk with a coffee concern whose mania is contests. Through a practical joke played by some fellow employees he believes he has won a stores contest and $25,000 from a rival coffee concern.

A pedestrian got run down in the blackout. They took him home and sent for the doctor.

When the doctor had finished looking him over, he went outside and said to this chap's mama, "I'm afraid he will never be able to work again."

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WILL SEIZE FRENCH SHIP

Cruiser Waiting Chance to Intercept Mendoza and And Make Her Prize

LONDON, Jan. 16 (CP)—Britain has no intention of lifting her blockade to permit free passage without navicerts, of French ships carrying food from South America to France, the Ministry of Economic Warfare said today.

A spokesman said the ministry's position is "clear" and there is no question of raising the blockade for the French merchant ship Mendoza, which turned back to Uruguayan territorial waters for a third time yesterday after spotting a British auxiliary cruiser waiting for her offshore.

No application has been made for a navicert—a certificate to show her cargo is not contraband—the ministry announced.

Without a navicert, it was said, the Mendoza would be intercepted if she sailed for France and, if necessary, would be made a war prize.

The ministry said its stand applied not only to the Mendoza, but also to four other vessels reported loading food cargoes for France at South American ports. They are the Rabella, Formose Cunpana and Auriony.

FOR 8TH ATTEMPT

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 15 (AP)—The French merchant ship Mendoza loaded with food for blockaded France was reported from Punta del Este to have sailed early last shortly after noon today, apparently for a fourth attempt to get past a British warship in the open sea.

The 8,100-ton French vessel turned back for the third time in three days when the British auxiliary cruiser Asturias spotted her last night before she left Uruguayan territorial waters. While the Asturias stood by well offshore, the Mendoza anchored at Punta del Este, some sixty miles up the coast from Montevideo. Her captain told port authorities he would await further orders.

Uruguayan officials, seeking to determine whether the Asturias violated this country's territorial waters in turning back the Mendoza, previously, were confronted with a new problem when a British navy seaplane made a forced landing in Maldonado Bay, near Punta del Este.

MAY BE INTERNED

The crew of three who said they had been on duty out of fuel, was taken by the Punta-del Este police while he asked the Navy Department's action whether the flyer should be interned under international law.

British authorities declined to say what ship they were from, but Uruguayan officials speculated last night he from the 7,500-ton cruiser Ajax, a unit in the British South Atlantic patrol. The Asturias carries no planes.

WELL, YES

Willie—asked the teacher "what is the plural of man?"

Men—announced Willie.

"And the plural of mouse?"

"Twins!" was the prompt reply.

Paul Muni stars as Pierre Radisson, the First Canadian, in the Twentieth Century-Fox film, "Hudson's Bay," which will open today at the Capitol Theatre. Aided by Laird Cregar and John Sutton, who are featured in the brilliant cast, Muni blazes a trail through the vast savage wilderness to build a fabulous empire in the frozen north.

ORGANIZING SHIPYARDS

Seventy-Two-Hour Week Is Sought by Secretary of U.S. Navy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Navy Secretary Frank Knox said today that the United States Navy was attempting as rapidly as possible to organize its shipyards for operation on a seventy-two-hour week basis.

At present, Knox told his press conference, most yards are operating on a forty-eight-hour week with time and a half being paid to workers who are employed in excess of forty hours a week.

Boiler departments in some yards are working three shifts, Knox said, and additional shifts will be added in other yards toward the seventy-two-hour a week goal as soon as sufficient competent foremen are available.

Knox also announced that ships of the Atlantic fleet and army and navy forces would stage joint training manoeuvers in the Caribbean, beginning January 27.

He described the manoeuvers as his press conference as a "routine annual affair," and said he did not think the new Atlantic bases acquired from Great Britain would figure in the war game.

The exercises are to centre in the vicinity of Puerto Rico, presumably at Culebra Island, east of Puerto Rico, where similar manoeuvres have been held in the past.

GREEK STEAMER WAS TORPEDOED

Nikos T. Sunk West of Ireland During Attack On Convoy

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP)—The 5,175-ton Greek freighter Nikos T. was torpedoed and sunk recently in a submarine attack on a British convoy 500 miles west of Ireland, shipping circles reported today.

The 400-foot vessel was said to have been with the Goodman's British freighter of 5,448 tons which radioed December 2 she had been torpedoed.

The Nikos traded between Canada and England before the war.

Marine circles also identified the British freighter Empire Jamaica said to have been torpedoed 160 miles northwest of Lisbon December 8 as the former American freighter Eastern Glade 5,065 tons.

The Eastern Glade was owned by the Postal Steamship Corporation of New York before the war and sold to Sir William Reardon Smith & Company of Cardiff Wales last March. She traded between New York, Norfolk, Jacksonville and Galveston before the war.

The freighter was built in Yokohama in 1919 and normally carried a crew of thirty.

PURIFYING JAPAN

TOKIO, Jan. 15 (AP)—All English signs soon will be removed from the Ginza—Tokio's main street—the newspaper Yomiuri said today, as a result of a police "suggestion" which observers interpreted as another step in a campaign to "purify" the Japanese language. Yomiuri estimated 1,600 signs, bars and restaurants along the Ginza are identified by electric signs in English—or approximately 70 per cent of the total.

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As pioneering and settling followed exploration and trading with the Gentleman Adventurers, so did government for these newly developed territories. With the early builders of Canada, the Gentleman Adventurers have a first place, and they extended the frontiers to the very North, where today, developments are still continuing in the name of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Much that once was of The Company is now of Canada. The Company has willed it so . . . for they are a part of this new world, loyal to the Empire. Their spirits are imbued with the spirit that in 1674 commenced shaping our democratic, freedom-loving Canada of today.

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MARINE AND TRANSPORTATION

SMALL SHIPS URGENT NEED

Authority to Build Four Hundred Defence Vessels Asked by U.S. Navy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 (AP).—A United States Navy request for strengthening the fleet against the menace of dive bombers won unanimous approval of the House naval committee today, and admirals immediately sought authority to construct 400 new small ships, including submarine chasers, escort vessels and mine sweepers.

The committee recommended without a debate a $300,000,000 programme to give the navy's fighting ships many more "pom pom" and heavier calibre anti-aircraft guns and to provide the men with "splinter protection."

It also was disclosed that the navy intends to equip some ships with "blisters" to protect them at the water line from explosions of bombs which burst alongside—"near misses."

Meanwhile, Secretary Knox told a press conference that the navy was attempting as rapidly as possible to organize its shipyards for operation seventy-two hours a week. At present, he said, most yards are on a forty-eight-hour week with employees being paid time and one-half for work in excess of forty hours.

Some departments in some yards already are working three shifts, the Secretary added, and other shifts will be started in the remaining yards as soon as enough competent foremen are available.

Knox also announced that army and navy forces would hold joint training manoeuvres in the Caribbean, starting January 21.

Rear-Admiral Samuel M. Robinson, chief of the Bureau of Ships, told the committee that 280 of the new small craft were "urgently needed" and that funds for their construction would be sought in a forthcoming supplemental appropriation bill. The entire 400 vessels would cost about $400,000,000.

Chairman Vinson (Democrat, Georgia) brought out that completion of the 400 craft, as well as the rest of the two-ocean fleet now under construction, would give the navy a total of 1,898 ships of all types, including auxiliaries.

CONTRACT IS AWARDED

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (CP).—A $10,000,000 contract for the building of six large freighters for the British Government has been awarded to the Davis Shipbuilding Company, it was learned today. The vessels will be built at Levis, Que.

MAIL AND SHIPS

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Fair, southeast, light, 29.64, 44, light swell.

PACHENA—Overcast, rain; southeast, light, 29.67, 43, choppy.

CARMANAH—Raining, easterly, light, 29.62, moderate swell.

LENNARD ISLAND—Rain, northeast, moderate, 29.62, moderate swell.

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 2 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Vancouver daily at 9.10 p.m. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will leave for Vancouver daily at 12 midnight. Ss. Princess Joan or Ss. Princess Elizabeth will arrive from Vancouver daily at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Kathleen or Ss. Princess Marguerite will arrive from Seattle daily at 1.15 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive from Seattle daily at 8.35 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 2.15 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Ms. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, for Fulford Harbor at 8.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesday, at 9.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER—Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.10 a.m. Tuesdays, for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 9.30 p.m. Mondays.

WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Norah or Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for Port Alice and West Coast points of Vancouver Island on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 7.30 a.m. and 9.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 7.30 a.m., 3.00 p.m. and 9.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will leave Nanaimo Sunday only at 9.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 7.30 p.m. and 8.30 a.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.30 and 5.30 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine, Joan or Elizabeth will arrive at Nanaimo Sunday only at 1.30 p.m. and 11.00 p.m.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Ms. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday), at 4.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY — Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay every day, except Sunday, at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood every day, except Sunday, at 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay on Sundays at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood on Sundays at 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m., 5.30 p.m.

Typical Corvette Skipper

—Royal Canadian Navy Official Photograph.

Normal complement of a corvette is between fifty and sixty officers and men. Crews for these vessels have been enlisted all over the Dominion. Many of the officers, such as the skipper shown in this photograph, have been drawn from the mercantile marine.

Group of Flyers Receive Wings at Training Centre

CAMP BORDEN, Ont., Jan. 15 (CP). — Another group of flyers, trained under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, are ready to take their places beside Canadian pilots fighting in the front line of the Battle of Britain.

Members of Class No. 7 in the training plan, they received their wings here last night. Most were leading aircraftmen, one of whom, Bradley Smith, Yonkers, N.Y., was formerly a commercial pilot flying out of La Guardia Field, New York.

Among those receiving wings were Gordon Willard Thompson, Vancouver. Most of the others came from Alberta and Saskatchewan.

TRANS-CANADA REORGANIZES

Western Division of Air Lines to Be Administered From Winnipeg

WALLACE G. COURTNEY

As a result of a reorganization of Trans-Canada Air Lines' Western personnel, W. G. Courtney, who has been in charge of the local office of the concern as city traffic agent, will leave tonight for Vancouver, where he will take over like duties in Vancouver City. Succeeding him here will be Crawford Burns, formerly traffic representative for Trans-Canada at Vancouver.

Both Mr. Courtney and Mr. Burns are in the transportation business as a matter of course. Whether selling transportation is a hereditary right or not, the fact remains that their fathers, the late O. L. Courtney and K. J. Burns, now port manager at Vancouver for the National Harbors Board, were both identified with local rail and steamship offices years ago. The elder Courtney was the local representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway and gave the elder Burns his first job as a clerk in the C.P.R. ticket office.

Mr. Burns did not stay there long. He went aboard Pacific ships and at one time was purser on the yacht-like Empress of China. He later was with the Great Northern Railway as local agent. Now the sons of the two old-time transportation men are identified with the most modern method of transportation, and it is somewhat of a coincidence that Wallace Courtney is being succeeded here by Crawford Burns.

In the reorganization plan, W. J. Dalby, who had charge of the British Columbia section of Trans-Canada Air Lines, has been transferred to Winnipeg from where he will have jurisdiction as traffic manager of the Western division from the Prairie capital to the Pacific Coast.

DEATH CALLS SEA VETERAN

Captain William Hallgren, Well-Known Mariner, Died Yesterday

Captain William "Big Bill" Hallgren passed away in his sleep at "The Cabins," Johnson Street, early yesterday morning. He was a native of Sweden, aged seventy-eight, and had been a resident of Victoria for more than sixty years.

Well known to old-timers, he arrived here on a British sailing ship from London in the year 1879, the same year that Captain Victor Jacobsen also arrived on a London square-rigger. Both men left their ships here and had frequently worked together since that time.

It was Captain Jacobsen who yesterday recalled that Captain Hallgren obtained his first employment after landing here, at the old Hudson's Bay Farm at Craigflower. His next job was driving a delivery truck for a local coal dealer.

The sea, however, was in his blood and when sealing was still in its infancy hereabouts, in 1880, Hallgren went on his first cruise with Captain Christensen, on the Carolina. Hallgren, with the exception of one season which he spent in the Yukon during the early days of the gold rush and where he made some money, yearly continued to follow the seal herds on their way north to the Bering Sea.

It was after he returned to Victoria from the Yukon that Captain Hallgren, with a countryman, Captain Gullen, bought an interest in the schooner Prescott. Leaving Victoria with five white men, the Prescott picked up a number of Indian hunters on the West Coast of Vancouver Island and proceeded south to meet the migrating seals. Off the mouth of the Columbia River the schooner encountered a heavy southwesterly wind and during the height of the gale a sea broke under her, turning her completely over.

Fortunately for the men aboard her, a following great wave threw the ship back again on an even keel, with masts gone and the hull nearly full of water. Only one man was lost, but Captains Hallgren and Gullen lost all their belongings and their schooner. Several days later they were rescued by a steamer bound from San Francisco for Victoria and landed here.

When the sealing industry became a thing of the past, Captain Hallgren found employment in various capacities along the waterfront and was much sought after when exacting jobs peculiar to the seafaring profession were required done in shipshape fashion.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

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LOIN CHOPS, per lb	23c

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FOR TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, 17-oz. tins	3 for 29c	Empress Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin	39c
Aylmer Peas and Carrots, Mixed, 17-oz. tins	2 for 23c	32-oz. Jar	27c
Clark's Assorted Soups	3 tins 23c	Hamilton Mincemeat, 3-lb. tin	27c
Aylmer Tomato Juice, 20-oz. tins	3 for 25c	Bechtel Honey, 4's, tin	30c
Campbell's Pork and Beans, 15-oz. tins	3 for 27c	Aylmer Raspberry Jam, 4-lb. tin	54c
Aylmer Peas Size 4's, 16-oz. tins	2 for 23c	Libby's Grapefruit Juice, 18-oz. tins	3 for 29c
Royal City Cut Green Beans, 16-oz. tins	2 for 23c	Lynn Valley Peaches, 17-oz. tins	2 for 27c
Aylmer Rosebud Beets, 16-oz. tins	16c	Turner's Bartlett Pears, No. 2's, at	2 tins 29c
Libby's Tomato Catchup, 12-oz. bottles at	2 for 27c	Gordon Head Loganberries, No. 2's	2 tins 27c
		Bicks Solid Tuna Fish, White Meat, ½'s	2 tins 39c
		Nabob's Minute Oats	2 pkts 27c

Biscuit Specials

Manning's Assorted Cream Sandwich Biscuits, lb	19c
McCormick's Chocolate Macaroon Fingers, lb.	29c
Peek Frean's Water Biscuits, ½-lb. pkt	23c

Bakery Foods

McLean's Buter Balls, doz	25c
Iced Cinnamon Buns, McLean's, doz	18c
Sultana Slab Cake, Fresh and tasty, per lb	17c
Approx. 3½-lb. slab	65c

TOILET SOAPS New Low Prices. Lifebuoy Soap	3 cakes 20c
Palmolive or Odex Soap, cake	5c
Lux Toilet Soap, cake	5c

Candy Specials

Vanilla and Chocolate Nut Caramels, lb	25c
Scotch Mints, per lb	19c
Chocolate Bridge Mixture, Looney's, Special, lb	29c
Ovaltine is a nutritious easily digested food drink made from the Soy Bean, flavored with high grade cocoa, malt extract and sweet. 17 oz. tin	55c
Ranney Cereal, 16-oz. pkt.	35c

Libby's Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tins	2 for 11c
Horseshoe Salmon, ½'s, per tin	21c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes	3 pkts 25c
Fry's Pure Cocoa, 1's, tin	34c

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Oranges, Family size, doz	15c
½ case	1.95
Lettuce, Choice Crisp Heads	2 for 19c
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Sunkist Lemons, doz.	19c and 30c

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COLWOOD PARISH MEETING

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BARGAIN FARES FROM VICTORIA

Friday, Jan. 24 to MAIN LINE, OKANAGAN, KETTLE VALLEY POINTS and Return

Spence's Bridge	$ 9.45
Kamloops	8.30
Salmon Arm	9.90
Revelstoke	11.50
Golden	13.75
Field	14.50
Vernon	10.60
Kelowna	11.40
Penticton	9.25

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Tickets good on midnight steamer Thursday, Jan. 23, and 2:00 p.m. steamer Friday, Jan. 24, connecting at Vancouver with 10:00 a.m., 7:55 p.m. and 7:45 p.m. trains same date.

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5:00 p.m.		5:30 p.m.

PILOTS MAKE SPEEDY HOPS

Breakfast - to - Teatime Flights Over Atlantic Quite Common

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP).—Trans-Atlantic flights between breakfast and teatime are being made repeatedly by pilots ferrying United States-made bombers to Britain, an authoritative aviation source said today.

This statement was made to correct a previous declaration that a breakfast-to-tea flight by Captain Pat Eves of British Airways had set a record for the crossing.

This source said the trans-Atlantic record had been "broken time and again," but he would not give the name of the pilot who holds the new record nor Eves' exact time.

(It is about 2,000 miles from Newfoundland to the British Isles, the shortest route from North America. Modern bombers, under favorable conditions, could span the distance well under ten hours.)

The informant said Britain expects hundreds of such planes will have arrived in England in the same manner by mid-Summer.

Eves, thirty-one, who flew air liners in India before the war, complained of the terrific cold, but said that otherwise the trip was peaceful.

Another British Airways pilot, Captain Allan Andrew, thirty-two, has flown a new bomber over almost as quickly.

Some machines, it is said, were piloted by Canadian and United States volunteer pilots, and others by English airline pilots, also volunteers.

A school for trans-Atlantic ferry pilots has been opened in Canada, it is learned on good authority, where Canadian and United States pilots are being trained in handling the bombers they are to deliver in England, especially in taking off with a heavy load of fuel.

The planes are understood to be Lockheed Hudsons, Boeing B17s, Lockheed Vega Venturas and Consolidated flying boats.

Air experts are talking of the possibility of larger bombers being loaded with the wingless fuselages of small single-seat fighters. This has been done for a much shorter distance by Italians reinforcing their shaken air force in Africa.

Observers noted the Cambria, Imperial Airways flying boat, in an experimental flight in September, 1937, made the distance from Botwood, Newfoundland, to Foynes, Eire, in 10 hours 33 minutes.

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The fabrics are imported from England and made up to our own specifications . . . smart greens with overchecks, new browns in stripes, medium greys for more conservative dressers, outstanding navy blues in bold single or twin stripes. The styles feature young men's single and double-breasted drapes, men's semi-drapes, natural-fitting and executive types . . . regulars, shorts and stouts. Sizes 35 to 44. See them displayed in our windows. In the face of clothing market conditions, this is one of the greatest suit events of the year!

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Cage Play-Downs To Be Set Sunday By League Bosses

Island Basketball Officials to Gather During Week-End to Make Plans for Dates—League Standings Are Released—Cardinals Turn Back the Unitys, 19-11

With champions named in some sections, and play-off teams assured in other divisions, Victoria and District Basketball League schedules are rapidly reaching the folding-up stage in preparation for the play-offs preliminary to the Island finals.

The Vancouver Island Basketball Association will gather Sunday at Nanaimo, to make plans for the play-downs. Representatives from Victoria will attend the session in company with representatives from other districts.

In the senior "B" men's division of the city league Chinese Students, Eagles and 5th R.F. finished in that order. The last two clubs will meet for the right to battle the students in the finals. All series will be two games, total points.

Young Dominoes, K-V's and Y.M.C.A. have clinched play-off berths in the intermediate "B" boys' division, finishing in that order. In the junior boys section, St. Louis College Chinese Students and Fairfield Ramblers are the top clubs and will enter the play-offs.

City league play-downs will get under way next week in the senior "B" men, intermediate "B" boys and junior boys. In the other sections, excluding the women's league and the service loop, top club will represent the city in the Island play-downs.

THE STANDINGS

Standings up to and including last night's games follow:

Senior "B" Men

	P	W	L	P
Chinese Students	8	6	2	12
Eagles	8	5	3	10
5th R.F.	8	4	4	8
West Road	8	2	6	6

First three to compete in play-offs.

Senior "C" Men

	P	W	L	P
Hornaby's Hornets	6	6	0	12
Victors	7	2	5	4
5th R.F.	7	3	5	4

Intermediate "B" Boys

	P	W	L	P
Young Dominoes	12	11	1	22
K-V's	12	10	2	20
Y.M.C.A.	12	8	4	16
Chinese Students	12	6	6	12
Fairfield	12	3	9	6
Hoyle-Brown	12	3	9	6
Cloverdale Aces	12	2	10	4

Junior Boys

	P	W	L	P
St. Louis College	10	10	0	20
Chinese Students	10	6	4	12
Fairfield Ramblers	10	5	5	10
Y.M.C.A.	10	3	7	6
Young Arrows	10	3	7	6
K-V's	10	3	7	6

Women's League

	P	W	L	P
Cardinals	8	8	0	16
Unitys	8	2	6	6
Adverts	8	1	7	3

Service League

	P	W	L	P
Composites	5	5	0	10
Motorcycles	7	4	3	8
Navy	5	2	3	6
13th Field Ambulance	5	3	2	6
R.C.A.F.	4	2	2	4
Western Air Com.	5	3	3	4
Medicals	8	0	0	0

Cardinals, women's cagette squad, ran their winning streak to nine games, last night at the Victoria Sports Centre when they defeated a strengthened Unitys quintette, 19-11, in a City League fixture. In the other two contests, artillerymen were the winners.

The 5th R.F., senior "C" hoopmen, came from behind to defeat the Victors, 17-14, in their own private little feud, in which one team wins one week and the other the next time they meet.

The senior "B" men's contest developed into an exhibition game when West Road cagers were held up almost thirty minutes waiting for a late arrival. 5th R.F. hoopsters were awarded the points, and the teams played a friendly game with the gunners marching to a 30-21 victory.

Coach Wally Yeamans, with the play-offs not far distant, trotted out three of his former stars, perhaps figuring that they would aid his club in turning back the undefeated Cardinals, but the move was not successful. Both squads showed the effects of the lack of action due to the holiday lay-off, and their shooting certainly suffered.

Cardinals were always in front, but points were so few and so far apart that there was never any great advantage. The winners had the scoring edge in three of the four sessions, with comely Vivian Hannan being their top sniper with eight points.

Chris Reid, May Meddler and Mary Peden pushed up all of the points garnered by the losers.

GUNNERS TRIUMPH

Lanky Alan Sced and Ed McKim played a big part in the artillerymen's triumph over the Victors in the senior "C" men's contest. With the gunners trailing by two points going into the final stanza, this pair of marksmen pushed up seven points between them and brought the 5th R.F. through to a 17-14 victory.

A twelve-point lead in the opening stanza decided the 5th R.F.-West Road senior "B" exhibition cage fixture, nightcap on the three-game programme. The eventual winners set up a 14-3 lead in the first quarter, and finally finished with nine points to spare over their suburban rivals. The final score was 31-20.

Macmurchie refereed and the teams were as follows:

5th R.F.—Skellern, Clarke, Sced (9), Murdoch (2), Christian and McKim (5). Total 17.

Victors—Carr (1), Pearce, Rankin (1), Restell (2), France (2), Martin, Wilson and Masters (6). Total 14.

Cardinals—L. Spark (2), D. Crowe (6), E. Snyder (3), V. Hannan (8), M. Rice and J. Trotter. Total 19.

Unitys—V. Bourke, C. Reid (4), M. Meddler (4), J. Scott, G. Jones, M. Harrison, B. Longstaff, E. Day and M. Peden (4). Total 11.

5th R.F.—Wallace (2), Baker (6), McKeachie (2), Paterson (7), Oakley (2) and Passmore (10). Total 30.

West Road—Handy (2), Lannon (5), W. Butler (4), Clarke and M. Butler (10). Total 21.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Service Basketball League games carded this evening at the Victoria Sports Centre follow:

7.00—Composites vs. 13th Field Ambulance.

8.00—Western Air Command vs R.C.A.F., Patricia Bay.

9.00—Navy vs. Medicals.

Angelus Cagers Defeat Varsity By Three Points

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—Angelus, due mainly to phenomenal first-half shooting and listless checking by Varsity, nosed out a 45-42 victory over University of British Columbia in an Inter-City Basketball League game here tonight. Angelus led, 28-14, at half-time, but the Collegians pulled up in a second-half drive led by Pat Flynn, but fell short. Flynn scored ten of his fifteen points of the night in the last half. Billy McLachlan and Earl McDonaugh led Angelus snipers with thirteen points each.

Vancouver and Seattle Icemen Play Up-Island

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—Officials of the Pacific Coast Hockey League announced that Vancouver Lions and Seattle Olympics will travel to Nanaimo on January 25, where they will clash in a league game originally scheduled in Seattle. Date of the latter fixture is to be re-arranged.

MANY PITCHERS TO GET TRIALS

Cardinals Will Take Fifteen New Chuckers to Training Camp

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP).—Chicago Cubs are entering a 1940 model pitching staff in a 1941 National League baseball race, a fact which, considering that the team finished a stout fifth last season, would seem to give the Bruins a running start toward another second division berth.

The Cub roster lists only four additions—five counting the returning Dizzy Dean—to the 1940 mound roster, and two of the newcomers are high school kids.

In contrast to this lightweight squad, St. Louis Cardinals will take fifteen new chuckers to camp.

The champion Cincinnati Reds are taking only four new pitchers to camp, not counting Monte Pearson and Tot Pressnell, a couple of transfers.

The Phils are going to give an even dozen young pitchers a trial, and Brooklyn Dodgers are going to give eight rookies a trial.

Boston Bees also have eight minor league pitchers and the Giants will have six rookies and two men from other major clubs. Pirates have eight new faces.

BUDDY BAER IS LOSER IN SOUTH

OAKLAND, Cal., Jan. 15 (AP).—Eddie Blunt, New York negro fighter and 3½ to 1 short-ender in the betting, got an unexpected ten-round heavyweight fight decision here tonight over Buddy Baer, one of the contenders for the crown of Joe Louis.

After a slow beginning of three rounds, Blunt landed a left hook to Baer's right eye in the fourth to take the lead. In the next three, the boys stood toe to toe and slugged about evenly, while 5,000 fans went into an uproar. Blunt's 218 pounds stood up well against Baer's 243. And in the seventh he landed a number of straight lefts to the face and short right upper cuts to the jaw.

The eighth was Baer's round. He scored a hard right that left Blunt in a bad way at the bell, but the New Yorker came back strong in the last two rounds to get the decision.

VICTORIA SQUAD CAPTURES MATCH

NANAIMO, Jan. 15 (CP).—Victoria Duroid Raiders slammed in eight goals during the third period here tonight to smother the O.C.O.R.'s 10-5 in an intermediate Island Hockey League game. It was the first defeat in four starts for the O.C.O.R. squad, which still heads the five-team league.

Slim Anderson and Gibb were high scorers for the Raiders with three goals each while W. Ritchie scored twice. Smith and McDuff each scored two goals for the O.C.O.R.'s.

Detroit's Smart Goalie

JOHNNY MOWERS

SENSATIONAL young goal tender for the Detroit Red Wings, the second-place club in the hot race for the National Hockey League honors, who is the talk of the circuit so far this season. Mowers got his start with Niagara Falls in the Senior Ontario Hockey Association and critics at that time predicted a bright future for him. Right now he is pressing close on the heels of Turk Broda, Toronto custodian, for top honors in goal-tending duties in the league. At the present time he has been beaten by opposing snipers fifty-two times, only three more than the veteran Broda. He has a good chance of winning the Vezina Trophy, awarded annually to the best goalie in the league.

California Trip Looms for Rugby Players Saturday

Outcome of This Week's McKechnie Cup Match Between Victoria and Varsity Will Just About Settle Squad Which Will Travel—Student Body Announces Starting Team

With a California trip in the offing and victory over the Varsity Thunderbirds giving them possession of the McKechnie Cup for another twelve months, Victoria's unbeaten Crimson Tide is doubly set on taking Saturday's match with the student ruggers from the University of British Columbia. The game will be played at Macdonald Park, home field of the local "reps," and the kick-off is set for 2 o'clock.

After two smashing victories over the Vancouver "Rep" side members of the Crimson Tide made more than a favorable impression with the selectors considering candidates for the Californian invasion. But the Victoria players do not want to let the matter rest there. What they want to do is to chalk up another decisive triumph in "Big Three" play, with a view to getting strong representation on the British Columbia squad to travel.

WORKOUT TONIGHT

Locals will round out their training this evening at Macdonald Park at 7 o'clock, and the team to wear the Crimson Red sweaters of the Victoria Club will be named following the workout. A number of the berths are already secured by veteran "Rep" players but the actual line-up will not be known until this evening.

The Victoria management will welcome back to the squad, Bill Smith, veteran scrum halfback, who has gained recognition for the California trip. Well versed in all the tricks of the game Smith is a very valuable man on the Crimson Tide fifteen. He was missing from the Boxing Day game with an injured ankle.

Changes from the team which played in the Christmas holiday match are certain, with Steve Coverton and Hump Payne definitely out of the line-up. The former is on the injured list, and the latter is at present out of the city.

Varsity Thunderbirds according to word reaching this city yesterday, are out to halt the championship march of Victoria's unbeaten fifteen. They admit that the chores will probably be hard, but feel confident of putting a crimp in the McKechnie Cup aspirations of the locals.

Victoria's board of management is looking forward to a good battle, but fully expectant of victory. At the same time they are quite prepared to admit that any club that can defeat Vancouver, 32-11, will need watching. And that's one thing members of the Crimson Tide will be doing Saturday. They will be watching their opponents and, at the same time, making their presence felt. It will be a case of the locals going "all out" to achieve their third straight triumph and possession of the historic McKechnie Cup for another year.

VARSITY LINE-UP

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—The following line-up has been named by Varsity to oppose Victoria Reps in Saturday's McKechnie Cup English Rugby game at Victoria.

Fullback, Rush; three-quarters, Tremblay, Fricker, Fairgrieves, Ralston; halves, Richards, Rose; forwards, Mainguy, Wallace, Davies, Buck, Narod, Bingham, Shepperd and Harmer.

The line-up is subject to change.

Leafs' Manager To Leave Squad And Don Uniform

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (CP).—Conny Smythe, manager of Toronto Maple Leafs, did not attend today's meeting of the National Hockey League board of governors, and his associates told newspapermen that Conny is about to go into uniform and will be seen little in hockey circles for the rest of the season. It was understood that Smythe, an aviator in the last war, will be attached to the Canadian Artillery.

RANGER FARM CLUB BEATEN

Ramblers Drop 3-2 Decision To Eddie Shore's Club—Other Results

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 15 (AP).—Springfield Indians rallied to defeat Philadelphia Ramblers, 3-2, tonight in an American Hockey League game. Charlie Mason, with two, and Len Halldorson scored for Indians. Lloyd Ailsby and Bill Allum scored for Philadelphia.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 15 (AP).—New Haven Eagles won their third game of the American Hockey League season from Buffalo Bisons here tonight, 5-1. George Mantha and Jack Cain accounted for two tallies each and Gus Mancuso one. Bill Cunningham scored for Buffalo.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 15 (CP).—Les Cunningham made three goal-scoring plays as Cleveland defeated Pittsburgh, 6-3. Cunningham's passes went to Molyneaux, Robertson and Desilets. Deacon, Aamundson and Locking were other Cleveland scorers. Heron, Roubell and Sherf were Pittsburgh marksmen.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 15 (AP).—Jack Keating scored twice for Indianapolis Capitals tonight as Cape won an American Hockey League game 6-4 from Hershey Bears. Brown, Wilder, Ken Kilrea and Behling were other Indianapolis scorers. Hershey goals went to Roulston, Wally Kilrea, Bobby Kirk and Flash Hollett.

POLICE HALT HOCKEY RIOT

Rough Hockey Fixture Takes Place at Vernon—Everybody In It

VERNON, B.C., Jan. 15 (CP).—Vernon Hurricanes defeated Kelowna Applejacks, 4-1, here in an Okanagan Intermediate Hockey League game, the roughest of the season, and climaxed by a miniature riot that took police twenty minutes to halt.

Players, hockey officials, fans and soldiers from the Vernon draftee training camp joined in the melee that started two minutes after the game ended.

Royal Canadian Mounted and British Columbia Police aided arena officials in finally restoring order.

The trouble started when a Kelowna defenceman, Pete Dewar charged at Vernon's coach, Jock Walmsley.

The two teams backed up their principals, the spectators soon picked their sides and the fight was on. Twenty minutes later order was restored.

Officials Pat Kershey and Jim Redman handed out eleven regular penalties and one ten-minute misconduct penalty and with rear-vision mirrors could easily have doubled that number.

NOTED PROGRESS IN GOLFING GAME

By HAROLD PIERCE
President of the United States Golf Association

BOSTON, Jan. 15 (AP).—The United States Golf Association during 1940 made marked progress in a campaign intended to make golf a game in which skill and not special equipment will be the deciding factor in tournament competition.

During the year just closed, a definite set of manufacturing specifications was completed regarding the scoring of the heads of iron clubs, to be enforced in the championships beginning in 1943.

In addition, the association employed the Armour Research Foundation in Chicago to complete a machine to test the performance of the golf ball.

With uniformly limited clubs and balls, skill and not special equipment should be the means to gain the desired goal in golf.

ARE RULED OFF TRACK

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 15 (AP).—The United States Trotting Association ruled L. G. Foster and H. C. Foster, of Montgomery, Ala., off its tracks for life today, following a "ringing" hearing before the District No. 1 Board of Review.

Frank L. Wiswall of Albany, N.Y., executive vice-president of the association, said the Fosters had raced the same horse for several years under the names of Frances Twinkle, Miss Frances Twinkle and May M. The mare was suspended until all alleged illegal winnings had been returned.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . . By Ripley

EXPLANATION FOR YESTERDAY'S RIPLEY CARTOON

Nothing to Win—Old Kickapoo raced home in front of the field in the fifth race at Agua Caliente, on March 13, 1934 yet the mutuels recorded no winning price on him. He was such a "dark horse" that no tickets had been sold on Old Kickapoo to win, so no price could be figured. However, he paid $230.40 to place and $7.20 to show.

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CHICK HARBERT OUT IN FRONT OF FIELD IN $5,000 TOURNEY

Young Michigan Professional Conquers Soggy Fairways and Drenching Rains to Produce Five Under-Par 67 in First Round of San Francisco Event—Wood Scores a 73

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 15 (AP).—Chick Harbert, a twenty-five-year-old slambang journeyman of the fairways, fired a sizzling five-under-par 67 in the rain today to lead the field at the halfway mark of the thirty-six-hole qualifying trials of the $5,000 San Francisco match play open golf tournament.

It was a matchless performance turned in under miserable playing conditions by the young Battle Creek, Mich., pro.

Harbert sloshed over soggy airways and through intermittently drenching rains to card a 33-34, against the 36-36—72 par requirements of the Presidio course.

Harbert, completing his first year as a pro and making his first swing over the Winter tournament trail, knocked over birdies on the fifth, sixth, ninth, fourteenth and fifteenth holes with putts ranging from four to ten feet.

Freddy Wood, of Vancouver B.C., scored 38-35—73.

As an amateur, Harbert won the Michigan open in 1937 with a 356, a record score for seventy-two holes until Craig Wood bettered it with a 264 in the Metropolitan open, New York, last year. He was a quarter-finalist in the 1939 national amateur championship. He won the 1939 Trans-Mississippi amateur in 1939. Last year Harbert succeeded his father as pro at the Battle Creek Country Club.

CADDY IS SECOND

In second place as the country's greatest players turned the first half of the qualifying rounds, was an obscure pro from Palo Alto—Marion Heifner—who carded a 34-35—69.

Heifner, originally from Denver, is a caddy at the Stanford University course.

The second qualifying round will be held tomorrow, with the 100 low-scoring professionals and twenty-four low amateurs fighting it out for the thirty-two places in the match play rounds, opening on Thursday. A total of 168 teed off today. Scores of 78 and under qualified for the second round.

Darkness swooped down on the field so early that thirty players were unable to finish and will complete the round tomorrow morning. They included the former national amateur champion, Marvin "Bud" Ward, of Spokane, who was one over par for seventeen holes.

Northwest golfers first round scores included:

Bob Connolly, Seattle 36-39—75, Emory Zimmerman, Portland 38-37—75, Gordon Richards, Seattle 40-37—77.

The twenty leaders:

Chick Harbert, Battle Creek, Mich., 33-34—67.

Marion Heifner, Palo Alto, Cal. 34-35—69.

Denny Shute, Chicago 33-37—70.

Sam Byrd, Ardmore, Pa. 35-35—70.

Zell Eaton, Oklahoma City 38-34—70.

John Revolta, Evanston, Ill., 35-35—70.

Emerick Kocsis, Detroit 36-34—70.

Eduardo Blasi, Buenos Aires 36-35—71.

John Perelli, Tahoe, Cal., 37-34—71.

*George Schoux, San Mateo, 38-34—72.

Jimmy Hines, Great Neck, N.Y., 38-34—72.

Vic Ghezzi, Deal, N.J. 38-34—72.

Ray Mangrum, Oakmont, Pa. 38-34—72.

Sam Snead, Hot Springs, Va., 39-33—72.

Lawson Little, San Francisco 36-36—72.

*Ellsworth Vines, San Gabriel, Cal., 37-35—72.

Jim Demaret, Houston, Texas, 37-35—72.

Jim Gauntt, Longview, Texas, 37-35—72.

Tony Penna, Dayton, Ohio 34-38—72.

Leland Gibson, Kansas City, Mo., 36-36—72.

SANTA ANITA RACING

SANTA ANITA, Jan. 15.—Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs:
Chiquita Mia (Haas) $13.00 $4.40 $3.60
Black Raider (Lynch) 2.80 2.60
Chabelle (Westrope) 6.20
Time, 34 1-5. Also ran: Hillilly, Aunt Berges, Texon Boy, Antet, Sun Ted, Gray Mystery, Redin Joe, Royal Linda, Bold Lulu.

SECOND RACE—Seven furlongs:
Buckhorn Creek (Westrope) $58.80 $14.20 $8.00
Light Reigh (Corbett) 5.00 3.40
War Briar (James) 7.80
Time, 1.27 1-5. Also ran: Bad Flannels, Wilhewilhus, Valdina Knave, Charm School, Bold Grafton, Pret Boy, Razz, Masthead, El Gorgorita.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Sleepy Westrope $15.80 $8.40 $5.80
The Raider (Neves) 3.80 5.80
Mosca (Adams) 5.80
Time, 1.14 2-5. Also ran: Justice Nap, Soberana, Ever Blaze, Idas Cry, Pistachio, Servant Maid, Miss Odoen.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Bridebeest (Westrope) $8.20 $4.80 $3.20
Count Chet (Skelly) 4.80 3.80
Wild Gale (Woolf) 8.80
Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Red Jewel, Field Master, Guaymas, Valdina Boss, Ball Proce, Merry Bid, Iron Mike, Nicagols, Eubeb.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Sumaire III (Adams) $5.80 $4.00 $3.80
Allerasc (Deering) 5.00 4.00
The Cloud (Pariso) 15.80
Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Moro Magic, Centuple, On Locatina, Delmatic, Mischance, Zebedee.

SIXTH RACE—One mile:
*Wise Father (Westrope) $4.80 $3.80 $3.20
*Chalfeur (Lenaden) 2.80 3.20 3.80
Chatted (McCombs) 7.00
*Dead heat for winner. Time, 1.38 2-5. Also ran: Ariar, Vath Be, Spanish Duke, Valeroso II, Mad Sue, Wee Tanee.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Sabueso (Skelly) $10.00 $5.10 $3.80
Burgoo Trail (Corbett) 5.40 3.80
Abdicator (Bassett) 17.00
Time, 1.47. Also ran: Hard Lu, Sir Stratton, Valdina Babe, Bear Yankee, Creepy Mouse.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-quarter:
Cayenne (Westrope) $15.00 $7.80 $4.20
Sapphire Star (Malear) 30.80 17.00
Westacre (Adams) 8.00
Time, 2.00 3-5. Also ran: Joel, Onra Bonsible, Count Valiant, Dehoey, Gineca, Pelan, The Queen, Valdina Bob, Manila Bay.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs:
Rose Crusader 114
Mad Crusader 112
Royal [illegible] 110
Blue Streak 114
Sorre Now 1 4
Playful Patsy 114
Preview Actor 122
Keep Fun in 117
Iron Plunger 122
Andye Love 110
Vacin Knight [illegible]
Ne Plus Ultra [illegible]
Sarabice [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
Ill Stranger [illegible]
Tie the Coue [illegible]
Rohuall [illegible]
Valdina Dude 110
Pomp 112
Air Speed [illegible]
Sir Winsome [illegible]
Gallaway [illegible]
Sonto [illegible]
Paper Boy [illegible]
[illegible]
Cimcear 120
[illegible]
Schuylerville 110
Rockaway Boy 107
Sea Watch 112

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs:
Challenge 108
[illegible] 110
Black Legion 114
Maestro Sancha 108
Peach Borland 113
High Lark 116
Merry Marina [illegible]
Kenty Mae [illegible]
Last Call 114
Paecha [illegible]
Old Whitey 107
Wisbech [illegible]
Congressman [illegible]
Prince Gale 114

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
My Came 116
Gridine 118
Gin bi 111
Party Spirit 118
Iron Bucker 110
Home Burning 108
Star Struck 105
Bibliophile 118
Colonel Bret 105
Valdina Joe 108
Candy Here 1 0
Chalphone 108
Manatelle [illegible]
Only Girl 103

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
(D) Strong Muscl [illegible]
Good Turn 114
[illegible] 1 0
Magnificent [illegible]
Stimady [illegible]
Blenaian 114
(D) Strong Arm 110

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Kayak II 124
(O) Sa II 1 4
Aviatry 1 6
Saint Andrews [illegible]
O. Baranosa [illegible]
Sawstar [illegible]
Carmenia 108

SEVENTH RACE—One mile:
Kel ar Bin 108
Sweet Grapes 108
Broken Governor [illegible]
State of [illegible] 111
Rough Seas 108
Overdrive [illegible]
Bettys Broom [illegible]
Boys Marlboro 111

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and one-eighth:
Sir Greenville 108
Brilliant Light 114
Easy Rethne 104
Mere [illegible]
Roughrider [illegible]
Royal Circus 108
[illegible] 111
Winnipeg [illegible] 103
[illegible] 108
Treasure Isle 111
Broadside 108
Born Happy [illegible]
Sure Miss 108
Valdina Hour 111
Chanty 112
Crusade 108

First post 1.30 p.m.
Weather clear, track fast.

Col. R. L. Forit and H. F. Hepborn finished in a tie for first place in the fifth monthly medal competition held at the Victoria Golf Club with net scores of 68. The former turned in an 82-14-68, and the latter a 77-9-68.

Front Rank Forward Of Local Fifteen

LT. H. GLENDINNING

YOUNG Canadian Scottish officer, who holds down a front rank position in Victoria's "Rep" Rugby scrum. A newcomer to Victoria, Glendinning is playing his first season in McKechnie Cup competition, and will be in uniform for Saturday's important battle with the Varsity Thunderbirds. Locals will complete their pre-game training this evening at Macdonald Park at 7 o'clock, and await the coming fixture with the students with a feeling of confidence. Kick-off for Saturday's match is set for 2 o'clock.

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Court of Appeal

Victoria Sittings

The court heard the appeal in Rex vs. Hop Lee yesterday morning. The defendant-appellant was convicted before Mr. Justice Manson and jury at the last Vancouver Assizes and sentenced to imprisonment for six months and $200 fine for "offering to make a sale of narcotics" contrary to the 1929 amendments to the Narcotic Drugs Act.

Ian Cameron appeared for the defendant and asked a new trial on the ground that a material witness was not subpoenaed by the Crown and present at the trial. The witness in question was a Chinese police operator — otherwise designated by the court as a "stool-pigeon." Dugald Donaghy, K.C., for the Crown. The decision was reserved.

Rex vs. Miller — J. B. Burton, counsel for the defendant, made application for reduction of sentence. Miller was convicted by Judge Ellis for stealing seven sacks of potatoes from a farmer, and was sentenced to fifteen months in the penitentiary. Mr. Burton argued that the sentence was excessive and out of line with similar convictions. A. W. Pettapiece appeared for the Crown. The application was refused.

The appeals in Rex vs. Joe Hall and Arthur Sayers were set over to the foot of the list. The defendants were convicted of conspiring with one Elwood, who robbed a victim named Lemon of $1,850 by removing the same from a trunk in Lemon's hotel room at Vancouver. Hall was sentenced to seven years and Sayers to five years. The defendants asked for time to obtain money from England and also to produce a defence witness not heard before.

The peremptory list follows:
Rex vs. Hamm.
Rex vs. Hague.

LEAGUE SOCCER GAMES CARDED

First Division Teams Have Full Programme—Two Matches Saturday

League soccer will hold away on the local football front this week end with two matches carded Saturday [illegible] are billed for 2.30 o'clock.

Manager Tommy Restell's Victoria West aggregation, league leaders, will oppose the Rangers at Royal Athletic Park, with Joe Obee as referee, while at Heywood Avenue 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A., will be at home to Victoria City. McMillan will officiate.

The Sunday fixture is scheduled at Bullen Park, where the Saanich Thistles will be hosts to Esquimalt. Pearce will handle the whistle.

NANAIMO SQUAD IS HELD TO TIE

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 15 (CP)—Fraser Mills and Nanaimo fought through ten minutes of overtime here last night but failed to break a four-all deadlock which left them tied for first place in the Intercity Hockey League standings.

Boyd Robinson scored twice for Fraser Mills and Harvey Hogarth and Jimmy Neilson each added one. Nanaimo's scorers were Red Carr, Bill Phillips, Hoppy Hoppus and Bobby Steedman.

Both teams scored once in the first period, with Fraser Mills adding another goal during the second twenty minutes. Nanaimo tied it up at two-all as the third period opened.

Fraser Mills then went two goals ahead, but the Islanders managed to tie it up again before the end of regulation time. Neither team was able to find the net in the extra period.

IN PORT AFTER TERRIFIC ATTACK

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carrier like hailstones; near misses so shook her that it seemed they would hurl her over on her side.

The Germans attacked while the Illustrious and units of the Mediterranean fleet were escorting a big East-bound convoy, and after a British cruiser had sunk the 642-ton Italian destroyer Vega.

WARNING SOUNDED

At 12.30 p.m. on January 10 the marine bugler sounded the warning and a voice over the loudspeaker system called out:

"All hands to action stations."

I reached the bridge just as a big German bomb struck the ship. There was a shattering blast. Almost simultaneously a 1,000-pound bomb crashed alongside and a blinding flash seemed to envelop the ship.

One officer put it this way: "It was the most tremendous, terrifying thing I have ever seen. It seemed as if all the fires of hell had been kindled. A blast of a 1,000-pound bomb is so crushing, so incredible, that there are no words to describe it."

The first bomb fell almost at the moment the last squadron of British fighter planes had taken off to engage the Germans.

Another bomb tore holes in the carrier's side. Still another crashed and fragments from a near miss struck a gun crew at a pom-pom station. They stood up unflinchingly to face German machine-gun fire and pumped shells as fast as they could into the bombers.

SHELLS, BOMBS, TORPEDOES

Every gun on the Illustrious roared at the Germans, but they kept diving in, bombs and torpedoes barely missing the carrier.

British battleships, cruisers and destroyers attacked both German and Italian bombers. Huge splashes from near misses helped to hide the ships from the bombers.

The entire crew of the Illustrious except the officers on the bridge and crews firing the pom-poms—(multi-barrelled anti-aircraft guns)—gathered to help their wounded companions, and carried them across the flight deck to medical stations under direct fire of machine guns and bombs.

As soon as a few surviving seriously wounded mechanics were pulled out of the wreckage their comrades dashed in to get others.

The fighter planes, which the Illustrious was able to get into the air before the first bombs struck, forced the Germans off temporarily, but that short respite was the only break in the attack in the whole afternoon. Less than an hour later the Nazis returned to drop more bombs.

A MOVING MONSTER

Again there was the deadly vibrating drone of bombers; again flame erupted in sheets from all the carrier's guns until, with smoke hanging over her flight deck, she looked like a moving monster of fire. Bombs fell to port and starboard; at bow and stern.

Another bomb crashed, causing casualties—including one Royal Air Force officer who had come to sea, as he termed it, "just for a week's rest."

Windows in the entrance to the captain's glass-enclosed bridge were shattered by bomb blasts and the explosions of the ship's guns. A dive bomber swooped just in front of the bridge on the starboard side; a bomb threw a column of water over the bridge and the blast blew me down the hatchway to aviation intelligence quarters, one deck [illegible] face.

Another German dived head-on for the carrier. The bomb grazed the side of the carrier.

FEW MINUTES' RESPITE

Between 2 p.m. and 7:30 there never were more than a few minutes free of the sound of projectiles crashing about the Illustrious, her gun crews flinging shells on and on at the attacking planes in the face of machine-gun fire.

Just before dusk small columns of smoke poured from the flight deck. Shell casings and bomb splinters formed a strange carpet there.

In the engine-room the men kept one turbine and then another operating and then resorted to steam pressure to keep the Illustrious going steadily on eastward to the nearest Mediterranean port. When that port was near the German torpedo bombers dived again.

Rear-Admiral A. L. St. George Lyster watched the Germans dive in and shouted orders to his aides, while shrapnel and machine-gun bullets peppered about him. On the bridge below Captain Dennis Boyd puffed his pipe and again ordered: "All hands to action stations."

TORPEDOES MISS

Three Germans dived in and dropped torpedoes; a moment before the captain had ordered full speed, and the torpedoes cut harmlessly through the water a few feet off the stern.

During all the struggle by the Illustrious, the British planes which had taken off her decks had made the Germans pay.

The final score in Nazi planes shot down was twelve.

Soon after the Illustrious reached port fire squads had extinguished a small fire in her interior, while shipwrights plugged the bomb holes, getting her ready to go to sea again.

The dead on the Illustrious were taken out for burial at sea in the areas where they had fought. The wounded were sent to shore hospitals.

Even in port, German and Italian planes have tried to sink the Illustrious. They have found her guns still firing.

CARES NOT FOR DESERT

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desert sand, awaiting transportation eastward to Egypt.

Desert sandstorms for the past week have hampered operations. Today the wind died, and the weather cleared.

FIRING INTO TOBRUK

But storm or no storm, British guns are firing into Tobruk. The Italians are replying, sometimes with a show of energy but usually in weaker fashion.

British planes are active all along the coast and British armored units have firmly in their grasp the region west of Tobruk right up to the edge of the sea. The line they dominate is at least fifteen miles wide.

As a result of air bombardment, the Italians have abandoned every air base this side of the Akdar Mountains with the exception of Derna, Royal Air Force flyers say. Bases abandoned include the big seaplane port at Bomba.

LACKS DOLLARS TO PAY FOR SUPPLIES

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facture war implements, pay for them from the Treasury and then lend the supplies to Britain, to be returned or replaced in kind after the war.

Officials in other departments pointed out that the Morgenthau figure was limited only to the United Kingdom.

British Empire investments outside the United States were estimated at £3,865,000,000 ($17,212,-600,000).

In reply to repeated questions from members of the committee, Morgenthau said that even if the British Government could convert securities held abroad into currency it would still be difficult to convert the funds into dollars for use in the United States. At another point he said that buying by the British Purchasing Commission has "practically stopped because the money isn't in sight."

LITTLE LEFT AVAILABLE

Morgenthau did not add the figures for British assets and estimated receipts, but their total was $3,330,000,000. Deducting $3,019,-000,000, the total of war supplies contracted for, this left $311,000,000 to be applied to the bill for supplies still to be ordered during the year.

CONN CHAMPION?

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP)—The New York State Athletic Commission in a statement today said Billy Conn had not given up his world light-heavyweight title and was willing to face any challenger the commission selected.

The National Boxing Association recently took away Conn's title and awarded its sanction to Anton Christoforidis for outpointing Melio Bettina in Cleveland last night.

CONFIDENCE IN PREMIER LOST

President of Conservative Association Says Liberals Becoming Disgusted

Even so-called Liberals are rapidly becoming disgusted with their own party leaders, G. H. Bevan-[illegible] Provincial Conservative Association, declared at a meeting of the central executive of the association in Room 214, Pemberton Building, last night.

All over the province, he said, R. L. Maitland, K.C., Conservative Leader of the Opposition in the Legislature, had found strong evidence of growing dissatisfaction among Liberals themselves, and increasing support for the Conservative party and its policy of good government. The behavior of Premier Pattullo and his delegation in Ottawa this week at the conference on Dominion-provincial relations had done much to lower already waning confidence in the present British Columbia Government.

The president announced that a general meeting of the association would be held on January 29, at which R. R. Walker, provincial organizer, would probably be present, to speak of his organizational trip through the province with Mr. Maitland.

COMMITTEES NAMED

The meeting last night was held largely for the purpose of electing committees. F. J. Popham, F. G. Mulliner and A. Lancaster were appointed as a finance committee to prepare for the expense of the forthcoming provincial election, and an organizational committee, consisting of the ward chairmen, with Miss Alice White as assistant secretary, also was named by the president. Mesdames F. Mackenzie (chairman), A. McLeod, S. R. Roberts and A. Lancaster were appointed as an entertainment committee.

It was resolved that regular meetings of the central executive should be held on the first Wednesday in each month.

DRUMS' BEAT CALL ETHIOPIANS

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Cairo, declared its full support of Haile Selassie's attempt to regain his country and throne.

The ex-emperor, a devoted member of the church, recently was given apostolic blessings by the Patriarch.

The Patriarchate charged that the Italians in Ethiopia refused to recognize its archbishop-designate for Ethiopia, and appointed instead one Father Abraham, blind excommunicate, who died soon after he accepted the post.

Four other archbishops who agreed to serve under Italian jurisdiction, the Patriarchate added, either died or were killed.

LORD WAKEFIELD DIES IN ENGLAND

Noted Philanthropist Was Patron Of Racing and Civil Aviation

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP)—Viscount Wakefield, eighty-one, noted philanthropist, died today in Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire.

Lord Wakefield, who made his fortune in oil was a patron of British enterprise in automobile and speedboat racing and civil aviation.

He sponsored many flights of Mrs. Amy Johnson Mollison, who recently died in the Thames estuary in an air accident.

It has been estimated he gave more than £1,000,000 to hospitals and contributed an equal amount to sponsoring speed on water, land and in the air.

Lord Wakefield, Lord Mayor of London from 1915 to 1916, was a director of C. C. Wakefield & Company, Ltd., oil manufacturers and chairman of the North British & Mercantile Insurance Company. He was elevated to the peerage as a baron in 1929 and made a viscount in 1934.

DONOR OF FAMOUS TROPHY

He was the donor of the famous Wakefield Gold Trophy for maximum speed on land and was the owner of several speedboats, including Miss England, I, II and III, with which Kaye Don made successful attacks on world speed records.

He continued to take an active part in the direction of his business interests until his last brief illness.

Lord Wakefield leaves his widow, the former Sarah Frances Graham, whom he married in 1888. Since he died childless, the title becomes extinct.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Navy League Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter was held on Monday, with the regent, Mrs. Aubrey Kent, in the chair. A donation of $5 was received from Mrs. Adams in California. This was to aid in the chapter's war work. Mrs. J. L. Ford, war work convener, reported that several woolen garments had been turned in to the meeting and also that letters of acknowledgement had been received from The 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment for forty parcels containing a sweater or scarf or a pair of socks or mitts and a handkerchief, chocolate bar, a pack of cards or cigarettes. A letter of acknowledgment was also received from the navy for thirty-eight parcels containing similar articles. The total value of these parcels amounted to approximately $153.50. Receipt was also acknowledged of a donation of eggs to the Mary Croft Memorial at the Solarium. A report was made on the children's ball. An appeal was made for garments for refugees in England. And it was also mentioned that mitts were in great need in the navy. A donation was made to Mrs. Plumb for the soldiers' graves. Two new members were accepted into the chapter, Mrs. F. Edwards, 2340 Trent Street, and Mrs. R. Bunch, 2009 Chambers Street. Nominations were made for officers for the ensuing year. It was decided to hold the annual meeting at headquarters. Mrs. A. Kent and Mrs. T. McGimpsey are planning to hold a bridge in the chapter's name, the date to be announced later. Mrs. Greensmith, 1418 Taunton Street, was the winner of the needlepoint stool. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

War Conveners

The I.O.D.E. war conveners will meet on Monday, January 20, at 8 p.m., at headquarters.

Royal Bride Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Royal Bride Chapter will be held at headquarters this evening at 7:15 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

B.C. ENGINEERS VISITING CITY

Public Works Department Staffs in Conference on Highway Work

District engineers of the Province and their staff assistants gathered at the Members' Room, Legislative Buildings, yesterday for their annual two-day discussion of engineering and highway problems, and to pool practical knowledge gained in construction work of the past. Upwards of a score of delegates were welcomed by Hon. C. B. Leary, on behalf of the Provincial Department of Public Works.

The conference will conclude today, with a dinner to be tendered by local engineers to the visiting delegates, at the Empress Hotel.

Yesterday's sittings opened with an official welcome by the Minister of Public Works, and continued with talks by public works, taxation, purchasing and other officials of the service, with Arthur Dixon, deputy minister of public works, presiding. The discussions, mostly technical, will continue today.

TRADE FILM IS NOW COMPLETE

Department of Trade and Commerce Assists in Recording Industries

Completed with titles yesterday, "Dollars and Cents," a sound and color film prepared by the British Columbia Department of Industries in conjunction with the British Columbia Products Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade, will be shown at a luncheon of the latter group, to be held in Vancouver on Friday, Hon. W. J. Asselstine announced yesterday.

The film was run off privately yesterday in the presence of the Minister of Trade and Industries, officials of the Trade Extension Bureau and others, when it was pronounced one of the best of its kind in the present series. Later it will be distributed for showing at service clubs and schools throughout the province, it was explained.

Island industries are included in the representation, including the manufacture of pulp on the Industrial Reserve in this city, though no plant is expressly identified. The actual photography was done by C. R. D. Ferris, loaned for the purpose by the Provincial Travel Bureau, E. O. Rowebottom, deputy minister of Trade and Industries said.

EFFICIENCY IS DEMONSTRATED

Saanich Fire Department Shows Class in Exercises Before Officials

Efficiency of the Saanich Fire Department was clearly demonstrated yesterday when a comprehensive display was staged in the municipal yard before municipal officials and visitors. The department showed the speed with which it brought hose, ladders and pumpers into operation and even rescued a man from a smoke-filled building and removed him to an imaginary hospital.

The demonstration was arranged by Fire Chief Joseph Law, while the guests included Assistant Chief Robert Taylor from the City Fire Department, and Chief E. O. Clavards, of the Oak Bay Department.

Reeve L. H. Passmore and members of the Saanich Council were also interested spectators.

A test call opened the demonstration, after which the new, heavy engine returned to the yard and firemen set up the ladders and extinguished an imaginary blaze in the two-story fire hall with two lines. They then demonstrated the use of the forestry pump, which is used in sections of the municipality where there are no hydrants.

This was followed by a demonstration with the booster hose and pump, the equipment being pulled up to the fire by two men with a rope, no ladders being used.

[illegible] was the rescue of an asphyxiated fireman from a smoke-filled room when his gas mask failed to function. Another fire fighter carried his stricken comrade to safety and applied artificial respiration. Meanwhile the police ambulance, summoned from Royal Oak, arrived on the scene, police placed the victim on a stretcher and rushed him away.

The 600-gallon centrifugal pumper was then demonstrated, and this was followed by demonstrations with the water pump can and foamite extinguisher on small fires.

NAZIS AND BRITISH IN SHARP NIGHT BATTLE

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that no sirens were sounded and the Germans flew away.

ONE NAZI SHOT DOWN

One German raider was reported shot down during the London attacks.

Before London was attacked, raiding Nazi planes flew over other areas of England.

Three bombs were dropped at one Midlands town, falling in a cemetery and recreation grounds and causing no casualties. Two East Anglian towns also reported raiders.

Observers on the coast saw two German bombers loom in the storm over Dover Strait and soon there was a report one had dropped sixteen bombs at a southeast village. There were no casualties. Most bombs were said to have hit a marsh.

A lone raider flew over Scotland after a quiet night, dropped one bomb and raked a town with machine-gun fire.

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP)—Herbert Morrison, Minister of Home Security, signed an order tonight requiring all Britons between the ages of sixteen and sixty to register for service as fire guards.

Women as well as men will be required to register but will be called out only in extreme cases.

All men must be prepared to give forty-eight hours monthly without pay, with exemptions granted only to the fighting services and their auxiliaries.

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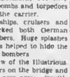

If you suffer from boils you know how sick and miserable they made you feel.

Boils are an outward indication of impurities in the system, and just when you think you are rid of one another crops up to take its place and prolong your misery. All the lancing and poulticing you can do may not stop more coming.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Stocks Continue Backward Move On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AP).—The stock market took another backward step today in a listless retreat from the recent advanced new year positions.

Leading issues were off fractions to more than 2 points at the close of the slowest trading in three months. Traders limited buying support, figuring the temporary trend, anyway, had swung to the decline.

Again drawing attention to the upward course of basic commodities since the launching of multi-billion dollar defence spending was a jump of 50 to 72 cents a hundredweight in hogs.

Growing employment in urban centres was held partly accountable for the climb in livestock. Most commodities actively traded imitated security markets in steering a ragged course but exhibited undercurrents of strength.

War industry favorites backed away with the rank and file. Du Pont was marked down 2 1-2 at 160 1-2. Chrysler dropped 1 1-8 to 68 1-4.

Down fractions to more than a point were such shares as Standard Oil of New Jersey, Savage Arms, Union Pacific, Douglas Aircraft, U.S. Steel, Great Northern preferred, General Motors and Westinghouse. Inland Steel closed down 2 1-2 at 86.

Transactions decreased to 398,580 shares from 468,910 yesterday. A stock exchange seat sold for $31,000, off $2,000 from the previous transfer to the lowest price since 1899. Continued "over-the-counter" liquidation of British holdings was noted in offerings of 12,000 shares of American Cyanamid "B" and 40,000 shares of Brunswick Balke Collender.

The Associated Press composite price of sixty stocks dipped .4 to 44.3.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 131.51, off .92.
Twenty rails, 29.06, off .25.
Twenty utilities, 20.44, off .16.
Total sales, 400,000.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Bid	Asked
Allied Chemicals	165	162
Allis Chalmers	35 5	35 7
American Can	87 1	87 3
American L. & Z.	7	7 2
American Locomotive	10	16 7
American P. & L.	3 7	3
American Rolling Mills	14 4	14-2
American Smelter	43 7	43-4
American Tel. & Tel.	167 4	167 7
Anaconda Copper	20	20 6
Atchison Railway	21 3	21-3
Atlantic Refining	22 3	22 3
American Woolens, Pfd.	33-5	33-3
B. & O. Railway	3 3	3-7
Bendix Aviation	36	35-3
Bethlehem Steel	86 4	87
Boeing	16-6	16-7
Briggs	24 1	24 4
C. & N.	3 7	3
Case (J. I.)	55	57
C. & O. Railway	42 4	43 5
Chrysler	69 1	68 2
Cont. Can	38-5	38 2
Cons. Aircraft	23 3	23 4
Crown Zellerbach	14-6	15
Crucible Steel	34 7	35
Curtiss Wright	9 3	9 3
Curtiss Wright A	30 4	27 7
Douglas Aircraft	77	77 4
Dupont	160	166 4
Eastman Kodak	139	140
El. Auto Lite	32 2	32-6
Freeport Texas	37 8	38 4
General Foods	39	39-3
General Electric	34 7	35
General Motors	46 6	46-4
Goodyear	18 4	18 6
Granby Copper	5 6	6
Great Northern	27 5	27
Great West Sugar	21 4	21 7
Howe Sound	35-6	37-4
Inspiration Copper	12 1	12 2
Intl. Harvester	54 4	48
Intl. Nickel	26	28 1
Ind. Rayon	26 4	21 4
Ill. Central	7 6	7-6
Johns Manville	62	63 4
Kennecott Copper	35 3	35-4
Loew's	31 2	31 4
Mack Truck	21 2	21 4
Minn. Honeywell	44-1	41-5
Monsanto Chemical	87 2	84 4
Montgomery Ward	38 8	39
Nash Kelvinator	4 7	5
National Dairy	14 2	
New York Central	14	14 3
North American Aviation	16 3	16 3
Northern Pacific	6 7	7
Ohio Oil	7 7	7 3
Pacific Gas & Electric	28 6	28 6
Packard	3	3 3
Paramount Pictures	11 4	11 5
Penn. Railway	23 6	23 7
People's Gas	41 8	42 4
Phillips Pete.	38	38 2
Pullman	20 6	20 7
Pure Oil	8-3	8 4
Radio	4 5	4-4
Republic Iron Steel	21	21 2
Safeway Stores	41 4	44 5
Schenley	11 5	11 4
Sears Roebuck	77 7	77 4
Socony Vacuum	8	8-1
Southern Pacific	8 1	8-6
Southern Rly.	12 6	12 7
Sperry Corpn.	37	37 3
Standard Brands	6 3	6 4
Standard Gas	1-1	1-2
Standard Oil, Cal.	20 1	20 2
Standard Oil, N.J.	34 6	34 7
Stewart Warner	5 3	5-4
Studebaker	8	8 2
Texas Corpn.	38 4	38 5
Texas Gulf	37 1	37 2
Twentieth Century-Fox	6 5	5 6
Union Carbide	68 3	70-2
Union Oil, Cal.	14	14 3
Union Pacific	83	83 4
United Aircraft	42 6	43
United Air Lines	16 6	16 7
United Fruit	69 5	70 2
United Gas & Imp.	10 3	10-5
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	27	27-5
U.S. Rubber	24 4	23-6
U.S. Rubber, Pfd.	80 7	81
U.S. Smelting	62 4	61-6
U.S. Steel	67 5	67-6
Vanadium	32 1	32 4
Warner Bros.	3 1	3 3
Westinghouse Air Brake	22-5	22 6
Westinghouse Electric	101 4	102-2
Western Union	21 6	22
Woolworth	32 4	32 6
Zenith Radio	14 4	14-5

Bralorne Mines Reports for Year

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—Bralorne Mines, Ltd., report a total of 101,283 ounces of gold, valued at $3,544,905 (at $35 an ounce), were recovered from the milling of 181,412 tons of ore during the twelve months ended December 31, 1940.

From October 1 to December 31, 1940, 24,440 ounces of gold were produced from the milling of 46,402 tons of ore at a value of $869,350.

The fourth quarter report states the Empire shaft has been completed to the 2,000-foot level and the new hoist is in place and operating and is adding to the efficiency of the mine.

The Nevada subsidiary, Summit King Mines, has not shown any appreciable change in recent months, but it continues to be a small reasonably profitable mine and is responding favorably to development work.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

Aluminum, Limited, regular quarterly $1.50 per share in United States funds on preferred, payable March 1 to shareholders of record February 8, and a dividend of $2 in Canadian funds on common, payable March 5 to shareholders of record February 12.

Hedley Mascot Gold Mines, Ltd., interim dividend of 2c per share, payable February 15, 1941, to shareholders of record January 24, 1941.

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Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN
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Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	77⅝	77½	77⅝	77¼	77½
July	78⅛	78½	78⅛	78⅛	78⅛
Barley—					
May	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
July	43	43⅛	43⅛	43⅝	43⅛
Oats—					
May	2[illegible]	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	35⅝
July	33⅛	33⅛	33	33⅝	33⅝
Oct.	a31⅝	31⅝	31⅝	31	31
Rye—					
May	50	55	50⅛	50⅛	50⅛
July	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝
Flax—					
May	158⅛	158⅛	158⅛	151	158
July	152	152⅛	152⅛	152	158
Oct.	150⅛	150⅛	150⅛	150	150

Cash Grain

Wheat—	
1 Northern	74
2 Northern	73
3 Northern	68
Track	74⅝
Oats—	
2 C.W.	34
Track	34⅛
Barley—	
1 R.O.W.	43
Track	43⅛
Flax—	
1 C.W.	148⅛
Track	140⅛
Rye—	
2 C.W.	47
Track	47⅛

CHICAGO GRAIN
(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Wheat—	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	87⅛	87⅛	87⅛	88	87
July	82	82⅛	82	82	82⅝
Sept.	83⅝	83	83	83⅛	83
Corn—					
May	62⅝	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛	63⅛
July	63⅝	63	63⅛	63	61⅛
Sept.	63⅛	63⅛	63⅝	63⅛	63⅛
Oats—					
May	38⅛	38⅝	37⅝	38⅝	37⅛
July	33⅝	37⅝	33	32⅛	32⅛
Sept.	31⅝	31⅛	32⅝	32⅛	32⅛
Rye—					
May	37⅝	48⅛	48⅛	48	48
July	47⅝	..	..	..	48
Sept.	48⅝	..	..	..	50⅝

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP).—British stock closings, in sterling:

Austin "A" 14s 3d; Babcock & Wilcox, 4s; Cent. Mining, £11; Consol Gold, 39s 4 1-2d; Courtaulds, 33s 1 1-2d; Crown, £12 3-4; East Geduld, £9 7-8; H.B.C., 22s 3d; Metal Box, 70s; Mining Trust, 1s 1 1-2d; Rand, £6 1-4; Springs, 23s 9d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, £77 5-8; British 2 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 7-16; British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £118 3-4.

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5%, 1953	69 50	70 25
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	80 75	81 75
Brown Co. 5½%, 1946	49 50	51 50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	106 00	107 00
Canada Cement 4½%, 1951	100 00	100 50
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	87 00	88 50
C.P.R. 5%, 1945	92 25	94 25
C.P.R. 3½%, 1951	88 00	90 00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	100 00	100 50
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	100 00	100 50
Gatineau Power 3%, 1969	102 25	104 00
Maple Leaf 3%, 1939	73 50	75 50
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	88 50	89 25
McColl-Frontenac 3½%, 1949	100 50	102 75
Shawinigan 5%, 1961	101 25	103 50
Simpson's Ltd. 3½%, 1957	100 00	103 50
United Grain Grws. 5%, 1948	97 00	99 00

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AC).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York [illegible] 9.09 per cent.

Germany—40.07, benevolent 16.28.
Finland—2.00.
Greece—.80.
Hungary—19.77.
Italy—5.00.
Portugal—4.01.
Sweden—23.85.
Switzerland—23.21.
Yugoslavia—1.30.
Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.62.
Brazil—Official 6.05, free 5.00.
Mexico—20.70.
Japan—23.45.
Hongkong—22.77.
Shanghai—5.65.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 15 (AC).—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates): Buying 4.02, selling 4.04; open market cables 4.04.

(Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.)

Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel Com.	9	9
Algoma Steel Pfd.	65	
Assoc. Breweries Com.	16	17
Assoc. Breweries Pfd.	106	
Bathurst Paper	15	15
Building Products		1
Canada Northern Power	8	9
Canada Steamships		5
Canada Steamships Pfd.	28	29
[illegible]		
Ford of Canada A	15	15
Gatineau Power 5% Pfd.	88	90
Gatineau Power	9	10
Goodyear Tire		85
Imperial Oil	10	10⅛
Imperial Tobacco	12	13⅛
Intl. Metal Indust. 6% Pfd.	101⅛	105
Intl. Metal Indust. A		4⅛
Intl. Nickel	32⅛	30⅝
Intl. Petroleum	15	15⅛
Montreal L.H. & P.	28⅛	29
Moore Corpn.	47	47⅛
National Steel Car	57	
Shawinigan W. & P.		18⅛
Steel of Canada	66	78
Hiram Walker G. & W.	44⅛	45
Bank of Montreal	180	192
Royal Bank	165	167
Canadian Bank of Commerce	160	..

INDUSTRIAL SECTION
(Island Investment Co. Ltd.)

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Metal Markets

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP).—Tin steady; spot £256 15s bid, £257 asked; future £259 5s bid, £259 10s asked.

MONTREAL, Jan. 15 (CP).—Spot Copper, electrolytic, 12.75; tin 53.37 1-2; lead 2.50; zinc 3.65; antimony 15.25, per 100 lbs. f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1941	3 %	102 50	100 50
"	1943	3 %	100 00	100 00
"	1949	4½%	107 25	108 25
"	1945	4 %	105 00	108 00
"	1950	4½%	108 22	112.25
"	1946	4½%	102 75	107 75
"	1952	4 %	105 75	106 75
"	1958	4½%	100 00	100 75
"	1959	4 %	104 75	115 70
"	1955	3 %	98 50	99 50
"	1960	3½%	100 00	101 00
"	Perp.	3 %	89 25	90 25
"	1940	3½%	102 33	103 25
"	1951	2½%	101 00	103 00
"	1958	3 %	97 70	98 73

DOMINION GUARANTEES

			Bid	Asked
Can. Nat. Rly.	1951	4½%	115 00	116 30
	1957	4½%	110 75	117 00
	1955	4½%	117 25	118 50
July	1969	5 %	114 25	116 75
Oct.	1969	5 %	116 00	100 55
	1968	3 %	117 25	118 55
	1953	3 %	97 75	98 00
	1944	3 %	102 75	104 75
	1960	3 %	98 75	100 00
Grand Trunk	1947	2 %	98 00	99 30
"	1962	3 %	107 75	108 00

SILVER MARKET

LONDON, Jan. 15 (AP).—Bar silver 23 1-4d, unchanged. (Equivalent 42.18 cents.)

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION
(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

[illegible]

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

[illegible]

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1952	38 50	41 00
Alberta 5%, 1955	42 50	46 10
British Columbia 4%, 1957	94 75	100 25
British Columbia 4%, 1953	101 50	102 50
British Columbia 5%, 1953	104 00	107 00
Manitoba 4%, 1960	83 00	85 00
Manitoba 5%, 1959	88 00	101 00
New Brunswick 4%, 1961	99 50	102 00
Nova Scotia 3½%, 1952	105 00	108 50
Ontario 4%, 1950	109 50	111 00
Quebec 4½%, 1950	101 50	104 50
Saskatchewan 4%, 1951	85 00	87 00
Saskatchewan 5%, 1958	87 00	88 00
Saskatchewan 5%, 1959	88 55	89 50

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO. VICTORIA)

[illegible]

EGG MARKET

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Produce Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2482.

To producer:

Grade "A" large	.21
Grade "A" medium	.20
Grade "A" pullet	.17

Following are city wholesale:

Grade "A" large	.25
Grade "A" medium	.24
Grade "A" pullet	.21

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, Jan. 15 (CP).—Spot Butter: Quebec (92 score), 34 to 34 1-4; Quebec (93 score) fresh, 33 1-4s. Eggs, Eastern "A" large, 24 to 25. Butter futures, January, 34 1-8, February, 34s.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (CP).—Official Foreign Exchange Control Board rates unchanged at: United States dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium. Equivalent discounts on Canadian dollars in New York, buying 8.81 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Sterling, in Canadian funds, buying $4.43, selling $4.47.

QUITE ENOUGH

Betty: "I can't think what you see in Peter. He does not go in for sport or games and he does not like dancing. What is he interested in?"

Pam: "Me."

Trading Active With Prices Irregular on Vancouver Exchange

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15 (CP).—Prices were irregular during fairly active trading on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Gold shares displayed a firm tone while oils were off slightly. Transfers totaled 26,780 shares.

Cariboo Gold Quartz at 2.65 advanced 5 from Tuesday's closing bid and Reeves McDonald was up 5 at 20. Premier firmed a cent at 95 and Premier Border remained unchanged at 2 3-4.

In the oils, Anglo-Canadian dropped 3 to 71, while Federated Petroleum at 33 and Home at 2.50 both eased a cent. Calmont closed fractionally lower at 24 1-2, while Model at 18 was up 3 from Tuesday's bid. Calgary & Edmonton at 1.45 and Royal Canadian at 12 were unchanged.

In the base metals Pend Oreille at 1.98 gained 3 from Tuesday's bid while Whitewater was down a fraction at 1 1-2.

VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS
(Mero, Bell & Co., Ltd.)

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Amalgamated	[illegible]	[illegible]
Anaconda	05⅝	07
Anglo-Canadian	[illegible]	74
A. P. Con.	[illegible]	
C. & E. Corpn.	1 41	1 45
Calmont	24	
Commonwealth	20	
Commoil	23	
Dalhousie	26	
Extension	10	11
Four Star		12
Firestone		
Home	2 40	2 40
Madison	01	
Mar Jon	01⅛	.01⅝
Mercury		00
McDougall Segur	00	
Mill City	04	
Model	15	
Monarch		00
National Pete	04⅛	
Okalta	10	
Oscalta		05
Pacific Pete		31
Prairie Royalties	00	
Royal Canadian	11	12
Royalite	20 00	21 00
Southwest	24	
Sunset	18⅛	
United Oil	04	04
Vanalta	04⅛	
Vulcan	00	00

Mines

[illegible]

Miscellaneous

	Bid	Asked
Coast Breweries	1 33	1 38
Capital Estates	1 84	1 25
United Distillers	70	
Westminster Paper	00	

Domestic Exports Reach High Total

OTTAWA, Jan. 15 (CP).—Value of Canada's domestic exports in 1940, excluding gold, exceeded any previous annual value since 1928, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today in a preliminary estimate.

The 1940 value was estimated at $1,178,593,141, compared with 1939 value of $924,026,104.

Foreign exports in 1940 were valued at $13,263,492, against $10,995,609 in 1939, the report said.

BAR GOLD

MONTREAL, Jan. 15 (CP).—Bar gold in London was unchanged at $37.54 an ounce in Canadian funds; 168s in British funds representing the Bank of England's buying price. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $38.50 in Canadian funds.

SAANICH CREDIT UNION

The Saanich Credit Union, with W. J. Dunn in the chair, held a quarterly business meeting on Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Notley. The financial standing of the union was read by the secretary-treasurer, J. P. Walker, under whose management the union had a very successful year.

INSTITUTE NAMES NEW DIRECTORATE

Gulf Islands Fruit Growers and Farmers Hold Annual Meeting At Ganges

GANGES, Jan. 15.—The annual meeting of the Gulf Islands Fruit Growers' and Farmers' Institute was held recently in the Mahon Hall, Ganges. There was a representative attendance, and the president, B. Krebb, was in the chair.

The minutes of the annual and a special general meeting were read and adopted. A balance sheet of receipts and expenditures for the year was presented by the secretary-treasurer.

A letter of thanks was read from a family acknowledging a gift of 100 pounds of flour and twenty pounds of rolled oats.

The following were elected directors for the year: B. Krebb, M. Gyves, L. King, J. Dodds, W. Hague, with F. Stevens and W. M. Palmer auditors.

Following a vote of thanks to retiring officers, business was proceeded with.

A discussion took place regarding the building of a feed shed on the Institute waterfrontage.

The meeting was unanimously in favor of a resolution being forwarded to the Wartime Prices Board at Ottawa, protesting against the price of butter being pegged on account of the hardships on dairy farmers. The resolution was proposed by W. M. Mouat and seconded by Warren Hastings.

The guest speaker was Mr. Phillips, of the Department of Agriculture, who gave an interesting address on "Preferred Tariffs." The speaker urged the adoption of calf clubs and grain growers' clubs for young people, as an inducement for more of them to stay on the farms. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Phillips and the meeting was opened for discussion.

At a subsequent meeting of the newly appointed directors, Mr. Krebb was elected president and R. B. Littlefair secretary-treasurer.

It was decided to call for tenders for the purchase of the building which, prior to the erection of the Consolidated School, had been used for a high school.

APPOINTED WHIP

LONDON, Jan. 15 (CP).—Rt. Hon. James Gray Stuart, Conservative member for Moray and Nairn since 1923, has been appointed chief Government whip in the House of Commons. He succeeds Captain Henry Margesson, appointed Secretary for War last month.

LECTURER GIVES REVIEW OF BOOK

Professor G. J. Spencer, of U.B.C., Tells Association of "World Without Insects"

"A World Without Insects," a lecture-review of a book of the same name, was given Tuesday night by G. J. Spencer, professor of zoology at the University of British Columbia, to members of the Victoria unit of the University Extension Association at Central High School.

"The book is based on a mythical narrative of an era following 'the comet year' of 1957. In that year thousands of persons were stricken by coma due to the tremendous lowering of the barometric pressure on the earth's surface, which also killed off most of the world's insect life. The narrative is between a young scientist of the new era and one released from coma after forty-one years of sleep. The discussions between the two brings out some interesting material, the young scientist supporting the new age and the absence of insects and the pre-1957 dweller extolling the value of insects to plant life.

Professor Spencer was introduced by Major H. C. Holmes, president of the association.

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson,—Some friends, and I myself, would be interested in your opinion of the bidding, and especially of South's play of the following hand. East and West are both excellent defenders. The hands were:

West dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ Q 4 2
♥ 8 7
♦ A 4
♣ A J 5 4 3 2

WEST
♠ 5
♥ A Q 4 2
♦ K Q J 10 8 8 3
♣ 10

EAST
♠ J 9 5 7
♥ J 10 5 2
♦ 6 5 2
♣ K Q

SOUTH
♠ A K 10 6 2
♥ K 6 3
♦ 7
♣ 9 8 7 6

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 ♦	2 ♣	2 ♥	2 ♠
3 ♥	4 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

"The club ten was led. Declarer played the club ace, followed with a low spade, finessed the ten in his own hand, led back to the queen, followed with the remaining spade, and took out East's last trump. He then led the club nine, which lost to East's king. East led the heart jack, which declarer covered with the king and lost to West's ace. West came back with the heart queen and followed with a small heart, which East won with the heart ten, thereby defeating the contract one trick.

"It is apparent that the contract would not have been defeated had declarer passed the first club, or having played his ace, led his heart nine or a small club. But should an average player be severely criticized for playing the hand as he did?—D.O.P., Iowa."

With no intention of being overly severe, it seems to me that an average declarer should have put up a much better fight for this contract. It was highly optimistic to base the entire plan of play on the hope that East had the heart ace, which would give declarer second round control. After all, it was West who opened the bidding, and that fact alone, aside from his later raise of hearts, virtually marked him with the heart ace. Thus, declarer's plan of taking out the trumps before clearing the club suit, laid him wide open to a heart lead through the king and the consequent loss of three heart tricks.

There was certainly no point in passing the original club lead, but by the same token, how could it possibly be wrong, having played the club ace, to return a club at the second trick? After the first trick, only one club was outstanding, and that the highest in the suit. Hence declarer did not have to fear a club ruff and it was unquestionably desirable to clear dummy's long suit as soon as possible, and particularly while retaining trumps in dummy as a bulwark against the hearts.

It is only fair to point out, however, that good defence would have made declarer's problem an extremely difficult one. On the suggested play of a second club from dummy East would win and shift to a high heart, then, regardless of declarer's covering or not covering, hearts should be continued for two more rounds, forcing dummy to ruff. Now declarer would have to make a magnificent guess in the trump suit. With dummy reduced to the Q-4 of trumps success would depend on his guess that a finesse should be taken against East rather than a play for the drop of the jack. In view of West's singleton club, it would be very difficult, if not impossible, for South to visualize a singleton spade also in the West hand.

Incidentally, I cannot approve West's pass to four spades. From his point of view that contract had entirely too much chance for success whereas five diamonds or five hearts certainly could not be hurt.

TOMORROW'S HAND

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
Rubber bridge.

NORTH
♠ A K Q 8 2 2
♥ K
♦ 5 8
♣ A 8 3 2

WEST
♠ 7
♥ 10 9 8 6 2
♦ 10 7 7 2
♣ Q 9 7

EAST
♠ J 6 5 4
♥ Q 8 4 2
♦ 5 5
♣ 10 6 5

SOUTH
♠ 10 5
♥ A J 7
♦ A K Q J 4
♣ K J 4

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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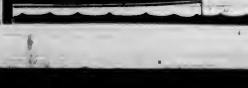

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Afternoon — 12.30, CBR, CJOR, CFCT; 2.00, KIRO, KOL; 2.45, CBR, CJOR; 3.00, KOL; 3.45, CBR; 4.15, KOMO KIRO, CJOR; 4.45, KOMO, 4.55, CBR; 5.45, KIRO

Evening—6.15, KJR, 6.30, KJR, KOL, CFCT; 7.00, CBR, CJOR, 7.15, KOL; 7.30, CBR, CKWX; 8.00, CJOR; 8.15, KOMO, 9.30, KJR, 10.00, KOMO, KIRO, CKWX; 10.15, CBR, KIRO; 10.30, KOL, CJOR; 11.30, CBR; 11.45, KOL; 11.57, KOMO, KJR.

Key Station Wave Lengths

C.B.C. NETWORK—CBR (1100).
N.B.C. RED NETWORK—KOMO (920), KPO (680).
N.B.C. BLUE NETWORK—KJR (970), KGO (790).
COLUMBIA NETWORK—KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560).
VANCOUVER—CJOR (600), CKWX (950).
MUTUAL—DON LEE NETWORK—KOL (1270).
VICTORIA—CFCT (1450).

(The following programmes are compiled by the various broadcasting companies and are subject to change.)

8:00 A.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CKWX, CJOR)
Good Morning (KOMO)
Breakfast Club (KJR)
Voices in Song (KIRO)
Neighbors of Woodcroft (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Clark Davis, tenor (CBR)
Against the Storm (KOMO).
The News (KIRO)
The Buccaneers (CJOR)
Father and Son Programme (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—Just Between Friends (CBR)
Serenade (KOMO)
Christian Science Programme (KJR).
The Goldbergs (KIRO)
Morning Melodies (KOL)
Breakfast Club (CJOR)
Melodious Memories (CKWX)

8:45 A.M.—Lois Kendarsen, pianist (CBR, KOMO)
Ann Sterling Wonders (KJR)
By Kathleen Norris (KIRO).
Here's a Song for Today (KOL)

9:00 A.M.—News (CBR, KJR, KOL)
Words and Music (KOMO)
Kate Smith's Noonday Chats (KIRO)
Shut-in Programme (CJOR)
The Late Risers (CKWX)

9:15 A.M.—Sweet Hour of Prayer (CBR)
Patty Jean Health Club (KJR)
Patty Jean Health Club (KJR)
When a Girl Marries (KIRO)
Old-Fashioned Girl (KOL)
Tropical Moods (CJOR)

9:30 A.M.—B.C. Schools Broadcast (CBR)
Armchair Quartette (KOMO)
National Farm and Home Hour (KJR)
Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO).
Key Questions (KOL)
From A to K (CJOR)
Morning Matinee (CKWX)

9:45 A.M.—The Hardy Man (KOMO).
Our Gal Sunday (KIRO).
Arizona Joe (KOL)
Gospel Singer (CJOR).
Stars of the Week (CKWX)

10:00 A.M.—Happy Gang (CBR).
Bonnie Stewart (KOMO).
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO)
News (KOL)
News Time (CJOR)
Singing Stars (CKWX).

10:15 P.M.—Concert Petite (KOMO).
Inquiring Reporter (KJR).
Woman in White (KIRO)
Hollywood Whispers (KOL)
Parent-Teacher Talk (CJOR)
Melody Strings (CKWX)

10:30 A.M.—Frankie Masters' Orch (CBR)
Sophisticated Ladies (KOMO)
Commonsense and Sentiment (KJR)
The Right to Happiness (KIRO)
Johnson Family (KOL).
Melody Time (CJOR)
Rhythm and Romance (CKWX).

10:45 A.M.—News (CBR).
Dr. Kate (KOMO)
News, Harvey Harding (KJR).
Mary Lee Taylor (KIRO)
Hatchaine's Children (KOL).
News (CJOR)
Wishart Campbell (CKWX)

11:00 A.M.—Big Sister (CBR, KIRO, CJOR)
Hymns of All Churches (KOMO).
Our Half Hour (KJR)
Our Friendly Neighbors (KOL).
Radio Gym Class (CKWX)

11:15 A.M.—Dr. Susan (CBR, CJOR)
Arnold Grimm's Daughter (KOMO)
Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO)
Winner (KOL)
Edith Adams's Cookery Corner (CKWX)

11:30 A.M.—U.S. Marine Band (CBR)
Valiant Lady (KOMO)
U.S. Marine Band (KJR).
Fletcher Wiley (KIRO)
Singin' Sam (CJOR)
Jane Looks Around (CKWX)

11:45 A.M.—Light of the World (KOMO).
News (KJR)
Home of the Brave (KIRO)
Gershwin Music (KOL)
The Hint Hunter (CJOR).
Des Dixon at the Ocean (CKWX)

12:00 Noon—B.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR)
Mary Marlin (KOMO)
Orphans of Divorce (KJR).
Martha Webster (KIRO)
News (KOL)
Fourth Floor Studio (CJOR)
Hit of the Day News (CKWX)
Wartime Intercession (CFCT)

12:15 P.M.—Ma Perkins (KOMO).
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill (KJR)
Golden Treasury of Song (KIRO).
Christian Business Men (KOL).
Ernest J. Colton (CKWX)

12:30 P.M.—News (CBR)
Pepper Young's Family (KOMO)
John's Other Wife (KJR)
Kate Hopkins (KIRO)
News (CJOR)
Midday Merry-Go-Round (CKWX).

12:45 P.M.—Mid-Day Musicale (CBR)
Vic and Sade (KOMO)
Just Plain Bill (KJR)
Women of Courage (KIRO).
Melody Supplement (KOL)
Home Folks Frolic (CJOR)

1:00 P.M.—School of the Air (CBR)
Backstage Wife (KOMO)
Mother of Mine (KJR)
Portia Blake Faces Life (KIRO).
Muse and Music (KOL).
The Man I Married (CJOR)
Sons of the Pioneers (CKWX)

1:15 P.M.—Stella Dallas (KOMO)
Carol Sally (KJR)
Myrt and Marge (KIRO)
Below the Rio Grande (KOL)
Hus's Notebook (CJOR)

1:30 P.M.—The Bandstand (CBR)
Lorenzo Jones (KOMO).
Patty Jean Health Club (KJR)
Hilltop House (KIRO)
Speaking of Us (KOL)
Bits and Encores (CKWX)

1:45 P.M.—Home Nursing (CBR)
Young Widder Brown (KOMO)
Dean Holt, pianist, news (KJR).
Stepmother (KIRO)
Musical Roundup (KOL)
Studio Party (CJOR)
Musical Stylists (CKWX)

2:00 P.M.—Closing Stock Quotations (CBR)
Girl Alone (KOMO)
Zollman at the Organ (KJR)
News (KIRO, KOL)
Billie Browne's Bravities (CKWX)

2:15 P.M.—A Boy, a Girl and a Band (CBR, KIRO)
Lone Journey (KOMO).
Singing Strings (KOL)

2:30 P.M.—Popular Songs (CBR)
Guiding Light (KOMO)
Department of Health (KJR).
This Woman's World (KIRO)
Let's Play Bridge (KOL).

2:45 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR, CJOR)
Life Can Be Beautiful (KOMO)
Shining Hour (KJR)
Scattergood Baines (KIRO)

3:00 P.M.—Questions of the Hour (CBR)
Dance Orchestra (KOMO)
Linda Dale (KJR)
Young Dr. Malone (KIRO)
News, Paul Pendarvis' Orchestra (KOL).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR).
Pop Concert (CKWX).

3:15 P.M.—Message from Sandy (CBR)
That Girl From Fisher's (KOMO)
Irene Wicker, News (KJR)
Outdoors With Bob Edge (KIRO).
Afternoon Serenade (KOL)
Ma Perkins (CJOR)
Mile Tappe (CKWX).
Symphony Programme (CKWX 3.20).

3:30 P.M.—Maurice Onderet (CBR).
Homekeeper's Calendar (KOMO)
It Looks From Here (KJR)
Joyce Jordan, Girl Interne (KIRO)
Mystery Hall (KOL)
Pepper Young (CJOR)

3:45 P.M.—In the News (CBR)
Washington State Employment Service (KOMO)
[illegible] (KJR)
[illegible]
Right to Happiness (CJOR).

4:00 P.M.—String Orchestra (CBR)
Bruce Gregory, organist (KOMO).
Wife Saver (KJR)
Second Wife (KIRO)
Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL).
Road of Life (CJOR)
Echoes of British Empire (CKWX)

4:15 P.M.—European Situation (KOMO)
King Arthur, Jr. (KJR).
Newsreel (KIRO).
Ma Perkins (KOL).
News (CJOR)

4:30 P.M.—They Shall Not Pass (CBR)
Dinner Music (KOMO).
Remembers Intermezzo (KJR).
Job Finder (KIRO)
Fiesta of Song (KOL)
Woman in White (CJOR).

4:45 P.M.—H. V. Kaltenborn, news analyst (KOMO)
Metropolitan Opera Guild (KJR).
Housewives, Inc. (KIRO).
Evening Journal (KOL)
Famous Voices (CJOR)
News Review (CBR, 4.55).

5:00 P.M.—Meditation (CBR)
Sports Interlude (KOMO).
Pat at Gein (KJR)
Father Goose Comes to Town (KIRO).
Avenue Band Stand (KOL).
Ranger's Cabin (CJOR)
Aunt Edith's Safety Club (CKWX)

5:15 P.M.—Jack Armstrong (KOMO)
School Quiz (KIRO)
South Sea Serenade (CKWX).

5:30 P.M.—On Parade (CBR).
Aldrich Family (KOMO)
Bud Barton (KJR)
Shaffer Parker (KOL).
Concert Hall (CJOR)
Paw and Marthee (CKWX)

5:45 P.M.—Tom Mix (KJR).
Bob Garred Reporting; Elmer Davis, News (KIRO)
Captain Midnight (KOL).

6:00 P.M.—Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra (CBR)
Music Hall (KOMO)
Scandinavian Reporter (KJR)
Major Bowes' Amateur Hour (KIRO).
Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL).
Supper Dance (CJOR).
Pianistics (CKWX)

6:15 P.M.—News (KJR).
Speaking of Sports (KOL).
Sports Review (CJOR)

6:30 P.M.—South American Serenade (CBR)
News, Town Meeting of the Air (KJR)
John B. Hughes (KOL)
The Weekly Editor (CKWX)
Anything Goes (CJOR)

6:45 P.M.—Sydney Kelland, organ (CBR)
Intermezzo (KOL)
Light Up and Listen (CKWX)

7:00 P.M.—News (CBR, CJOR)
Caravan (KOMO)
Glenn Miller's Orchestra (KIRO).
Melody Road (KOL)
Kare's Kimber (CKWX).

7:15 P.M.—Britain Speaks (CBR)
What's On Your Mind (KIRO)
News Hunt by Lex Hunt (KOL)
Light Up and Listen (CJOR)
On the Down Beat (CKWX)

7:30 P.M.—B.B.C. News (CBR)
Musical Americana (KOMO)
Ahead of Headlines (KJR)
Wythe Williams, commentator (KOL)
Sports Review (CJOR)
News (CKWX)

7:45 P.M.—Paul Martin's Orch. (KJR)
Elmer Davis, News of the World (KIRO)
Little Concert (KOL)
The Kiltles (CJOR)
Farmer Fiddlers (CKWX)

8:00 P.M.—Choristers and Strings (CBR)
Fred Waring (KOMO)
Hot Stove League (KJR)
Amos and Andy (KIRO)
Symphony Hour (KOL)
News (CJOR)
Fred Hise, baritone, and Organ (CKWX)

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"She's new here . . . we're givin' her a housewarming!"

FLYIN' JENNY

You Can Lead a Horse to Water . . . By Russell Keaton

MUTT AND JEFF

Going Round in Circles By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

By Dale Allen

SUPERMAN

Too Co-operative By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

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POP

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BLONDIE

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Business and Professional Directory, Want Ads

The Daily Colonist

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CLASSIFICATIONS

Acreage for Rent	[illegible]
Acreage for Sale	[illegible]
Acreage Wanted	[illegible]
Agents Wanted	[illegible]
Autos for Hire	[illegible]
Automobiles	[illegible]
Births	[illegible]
Bicycles and Motorcycles	[illegible]
Boats and Launches	[illegible]
Building Materials	[illegible]
Business Directory	[illegible]
Business Opportunities	[illegible]
Cards of Thanks	[illegible]
Church Notices	[illegible]
Clothing, Furs, Shoes, Etc.	[illegible]
Coming Events	[illegible]
Dancing	[illegible]

3 DEATHS (Continued)

PROTHEROE—There passed away suddenly at the family residence on Tuesday morning Edward William Protheroe, aged seventy-nine years, beloved husband of Emily Ann Protheroe of [illegible] Musgrave Street, Oak Bay. The late Mr. Protheroe was born in Wiltshire, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty-four years, being manager of the London and Scottish Insurance Company. He is mourned by his widow and three daughters, Mrs. W. W. Evans, of Edmonton, Alta., and Mrs. [illegible]

The remains are resting at [illegible] Bros. Funeral Chapel and funeral service will be held on Friday afternoon in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, at [illegible] o'clock, Ven. Archdeacon A. P. de L. Nunns will conduct the service, after which interment will be in St. Luke's Churchyard, Cedar Hill Crossroad.

HALLGREN—Suddenly on January 15, 1941, at "The Cabin," Johnson Street, William Hallgren, aged seventy-eight years, born in Sweden and a resident of Victoria for [illegible] years. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

BRECKENRIDGE—At Nanaimo General Hospital there passed away on Wednesday, January [illegible], [illegible], aged thirty-[illegible] years, beloved wife of David Edgar Breckenridge, of [illegible] Bay. The late Mrs. Breckenridge was born in Calgary and had been a resident of Victoria and district for the past twenty-two years. She is mourned by, besides her husband, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. George Orr, and one sister, Miss Hilda Orr, of this city. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel at 3.15 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ASHTON—There passed away on January 14 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Charles Arthur Ashton, aged fourteen years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Ashton, of 1919 View Street. He was born in Yorkshire, England, and is mourned by, besides his parents, [illegible] at home and Mr. [illegible] and Mrs. J. [illegible] of Victoria, also his grandparents in England. He was a member of the [illegible]. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock. Rev. Arthur [illegible] will conduct the service, after which interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

3 IN MEMORIAM

[illegible]

DOUBLE SERVICE IN WANT ADS

You can telephone your answers as well as your classified advertisements to The Colonist. Readers are often interested in Want Advertisements that do not carry the names or addresses of the advertisers, but only a box number. For the accommodation of those readers who find it inconvenient to write an answer and to serve the advertiser better

We Will Take Replies to Box Numbers Over the Telephone

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25 DANCING

DOROTHY COX, M.R.A.G., all branches. Ballroom class Saturdays. E 7428.

MR. and Mrs. Geo. Roselly, Victoria's leading ballroom instructors. E 4854.

26 LOST AND FOUND

LOST IN VICINITY OF ST. CHARLES Street and Rockland Avenue, wire-haired terrier, two months old; white, black and tan markings. Answers to name Sandy. Reward. E 2055.

LOST—ON PANDORA AT COOK, ONE brown leather wallet, with papers. Finder please phone E 4289. Reward.

LOST—BROWN MONGREL BITCH near Braefield. Please telephone [illegible]

LOST—LADY'S CHAMOIS WAISTCOAT. Reward. E 7281.

STRAYED—FROM THE WILLOWS area Persian tomcat, four white feet. Reward. E 2412.

31 MONEY TO LOAN

[illegible]

34 PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY (Continued)

MASSEUR

O. H. LOWENBERG, REGISTERED Swedish masseur and physiotherapist. Light baths and massage. 601 Jones Building. Telephone E 7875.

MASSAGE

MRS. BARKER, MASSEUSE, VAPOR baths, chiropodist. 225 Rowe. G 1681.

[illegible]

DR. VERNON B. TAYLOR, REGISTERED and licensed. 400-1-2 Belmont Building. Phone Empire 7823.

PATENT ATTORNEYS

ERNEST E. CARVER, F.P.I.C. Registered Canada and U.S. Patents and Trade Marks in All Countries. 789 W. Pender, Vancouver. Phone Sey. 1052.

FETHERSTONHAUGH & CO. Patents and Trade Marks. Offices Throughout Canada and U.S. 789 W. Pender, Vancouver. Phone Sey. 0709.

MARKS & CLERK, OF LONDON, ENG., Ottawa, Washington, etc. Patents and trade marks in all countries. 601-603 Bank of Toronto Building, Douglas Street, Victoria.

PHYSIOTHERAPY

H. B. LIVSEY—Registered and Licensed. 610-9 Pemberton Building. G 3643.

36 OFFICES, STORES, HALLS TO RENT

NEWLY RENOVATED SMALL HALL AND two adjoining rooms, suitable for choirs, clubs, etc. E 3715 or E 8502.

37 MISCELLANEOUS

SAWS OF ALL KINDS FILED, SET, gummed, etc. Phone W. Emery. 1567 Gladstone Avenue.

40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

40A BUILDING MATERIALS

CANADIAN WESTERN WOODWORKERS—Sashes, doors, general millwork. G 4616.

ISLAND BUILDING SUPPLY COMPANY—Everything in builders' supplies. [illegible]

40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

RANGE CASTINGS STOCKED FOR most makes. B.C. Hardware, 718 Fort.

WE HAVE A LIMITED SUPPLY OF used ranges, all are of well known makes. Prices are right. Easy terms. C. J. McDOWELL, 1000 Douglas Street. Phone E 4138.

40X MISCELLANEOUS

ADDISON WASHERS WITH NEW beauty, efficient performance and [illegible] 1419 Douglas Street.

ACCEPT $3 CASH, $1 WEEKLY, ON two used Easy electric washers. Act quickly. Taylor & Co., 820 Fort Street.

A DOUBLE LOAD CINDERS, $3; SOIL, sand, gravel, old manure. G 3686.

A BARGAIN—DOUBLE LOAD CINDERS, $3; soil, rock, manure. G 3364.

BARGAINS!—ELECTRIC SEWING MAchines, $3 console, 7 portable. Taylor & Co., 822 Fort Street.

CHILD'S WALNUT CRIB, ONE-YEAR-old size. Phone E 8780.

ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINE, PORTable, round bobbin (used), fine for Red Cross work. Only $47. 820 Fort St.

GIVE THAT OLD WATCH A NEW APpearance with a new strap. Ladies' straps from $1, men's from 75c. ROSE'S JEWELERS, 1417 DOUGLAS ST.

MANURE, ROCK, BLACK SOIL, ANY quantity. Bray's Transfer Ltd. G 1833.

PIPE AND PUMPS—USED BLACK AND galvanized pipe and fittings. Valves, steam and belt driven centrifugal force pumps. Capital Iron & Metals Limited, 1820-32 Store Street, Victoria, B.C. Phone Garden 2434.

ROLLS RAZORS, $3.75. CRUISER'S compass, $4.75. Banjo, $3.75. Surveyor's compass, $10.50. Telescopes, $4.75. Field glasses, $9.75. Eight-power prismatic glasses, $27.50. Powerful microscope, $24. Dunlop tires, $1.10. Inner tubes, 60c. W[illegible] handlebars, $1.75. Child's bicycle, $12. Spectacles to suit any sight, $2.95. Aaronson's Cut Rate Store, 1330 Government St.

ROTTED WEEDLESS ODORLESS MAnure, 25c bag. G [illegible]

STAMPS—NEARLY COMPLETE SET OF Canada, since Confederation, mainly mint. All in perfect condition. Also complete mint set of first Aden, many fiscal, British and British possessions. What offer? Box [illegible], Colonist.

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS, FURNISHED or unfurnished, upstairs. 117 South. Apply 120 Hillside.

51A FURNISHED

COMFORTABLE HOUSEKEEPING ROOM. Suit business person. 1030 McGregor. Phone E 5103.

COMFORTABLE, NEWLY DECORATED, near High School and bus. G [illegible]

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, flats, cabins, $8 month up. 1020 Hillside.

NICE LOCATION NEAR SEA PARK and car. [illegible] Box [illegible], Colonist.

51B UNFURNISHED

LARGE BRIGHT UNFURNISHED [illegible]

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

AILSA MANSIONS—UNFURNISHED [illegible]

CRAIGFLOWER COURTS, [illegible] MILES from Victoria City centre on Island Highway [illegible] bus terminal. [illegible] Weekly Winter rates [illegible] 6300.

LARGE FURNISHED FLAT, CITY HEAT included, February 1 to September [illegible] E 7474.

MANOR MANSIONS, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, modern [illegible] January 23. G 8127.

NICE MODERN APARTMENT FOR [illegible]

55 HOUSES TO RENT

FOR RENT—EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE, 21 [illegible] Street.

55A FURNISHED

COSY FURNISHED COTTAGE, CLOSE [illegible]

68 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

MR. JUNKIE—PARTS AND TIRES FOR all makes of cars. Engines for boats. 1930 Nash motor. Best prices paid for cars and trucks for wrecking. Pacific Auto Wrecking Co. Ltd., 837 View Street. E 7721.

MODEL A FORD COACH (1928), GOOD condition all around. $165 cash, or [illegible]

MODERN PAINT TREATMENT

NEW COLORS, TWO-TONE EFfects, factory specification finish. Low cost. You'll be proud of your car again.

WILSON & CABELDU, Yates Street at Vancouver

BUY NOW AND SAVE MONEY

THE HEAVY BUYING SEASON [illegible]

1932 CHEVROLET ROADSTER	$345
[illegible] AUSTIN SALOON	$350
1930 FORD COUPE	$550
1937 HUPMOBILE SEDAN	$625
[illegible] WILLYS COUPE	$695
[illegible] FORD FORDOR	$850
1939 FORD FORDOR	$950
1940 FORD TUDOR	$1125
[illegible] SEDAN	$1325
[illegible] DELIVERY	$425
1935 FORD LIGHT DELIVERY. This unit has been completely overhauled	$125

[illegible]

A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

TO OUT-OF-TOWN SUBSCRIBERS

Out-of-town subscribers who wish to answer advertisements in which only the telephone number of the advertiser is given may mail their replies to The Colonist and The Colonist will immediately such replies to the advertiser.

37 AUTOMOBILES
(Continued)

1937 TUDOR FORD WITH PHILCO radio and heater in addition to all extras, including spotlight, in mint condition. Apply Kalsomine Service Station, 910 Douglas.

1937 FORD PASSENGER DE LUXE coach, equipped radio, heater, spotlight, in perfect condition. Phone 5-4811.

1936 AUSTIN 10-HP. VAN—GOOD condition throughout. Must sacrifice. $450. 1175 Gorge.

$125 OR BEST OFFER—1928 DODGE coach, good condition throughout, new tires, all mechanical in good shape. Can be seen 1520 Yates Street.

1934 INTERNATIONAL SCOOP—WONDERFUL condition. Price $475. Dog, about 6 mo. old, $10. 2850 Cedar Hill Road.

1934 AUSTIN TEN—1935 TIRES IN good condition. Terms—$100 cash.

1929 CHEVROLET STANDARD COACH, good tires, good mechanical condition, $50. Apply 1010 Cook Street.

$85—1928 STANDARD SEDAN 6 TIRES good condition. 2-3880.

38 WANTED

CARS FOR YOUR CAR FOR WRECKING. Cash paid. Vic Motor Wrecking Co., 1437 Douglas.

USED CARS
HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR GOOD USED CARS
JAMES BROS. SERVICE STATION, LIMITED
Corner Yates and Quadra
Phone 2-5202

67 BOATS AND LAUNCHES

FOR SALE—GOOD 14-FT. CEDAR PAINTED dinghy, 2 oars, 2 rowlocks, 2 Kapok cushions. Phone 2-4 Saturday or Sunday.

ENGINE BARGAIN—8-VOLT DODGE 6-V. 1935 Hudson Super Eight, Chrysler 7-8 Four Stars, Cadillac Eight, Pontiac Six, Chevrolet Six, Ford V-8 Pontiac Six, Chevrolet Six, Chevrolet 4-cyl.

ROYAL LICENCE LIFEBELTS FIRE EXT. Inspection Extinguisher, sold by Shep Chandler, McDonald's Ltd., 1014 Wharf Street. 2-1181.

SPECIAL PROPELLERS MADE CAN even satisfied Baker 1926 Chandler.

WILL PAY CASH FOR SEAWORTHY 16-FT. OR 18-FT. SPEEDBOAT. Must be in good condition. Box 1-Colonist.

68 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

EXCLUSIVE LADIES WEAR BUSINESS, Victoria District. Apply Box 2-Colonist.

WANTED—BAR-O-GO CENTRAL LOCATION. Drive out with $400 cash.

LARGEST PARLOR LOND ESTABLISHED 19 high-class residential district. Apply $1000.

SMALL CONFECTIONERY AND $400 Sales, terms.

RETAIL FLOWER AND FLORAL CO. $1000 City store.

No Phone Information
CORTRIGHT—WILLIAMS CO.
621 Broughton St.

LIGHT PARTNER REQUIRED FIRST-class Dairy Business. Good opportunity. Apply Box 1-Colonist.

SERVICE STATION GARAGE MODERN 3 washrooms, for lease Box 973 Colonist.

70 EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE

WILL TRADE HOME IN DONTALES for Victoria property. Give phone number. Box 1-Colonist.

70 HOUSES FOR SALE

A VERY FINE HOME AND A GOOD home. Three bedrooms, living room, dining room, hall, kitchen, bathroom, tinting of inside woodwork. A basement and furnace. Lot 50 x 120. Price $3,500. Here what you want? Then this is your home. A real family home.

PHONE 2-8240

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO. LTD.
1218 Broad Street (2-8241)

"GORGE DISTRICT"
A BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW, PINE ROOM, 3 bedrooms, living room, kitchen, bathroom, sun porch, concrete foundation, three-piece bathroom and shower, fire place, hot water heating, garage, lot 50 x 120, fruit trees. Apply owner, Box 1-Colonist. Price $4,000 Terms, Price $4,000 Terms.

PRICE $1,750—TERMS, CASH.
Modern Bungalow, Lot 50 x 120, 2 blocks to Gorge, $12 Price $1,750 Terms.

A ATTRACTIVE MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW, Gorge area, 4 rooms, garage, $3,750. Very nice bungalow, 4 rooms, modern, garage, Gorge area, $3,750. Terms.

A ATTRACTIVE MODERN BUNGALOW—3 Three bedrooms, furnace, fireplace, tinted, enclosed porch, garage, lot 50 x 120, close to Gorge, $3,750. Terms.

A 5-ROOMED MODERN BUNGALOW—A nice home, in good condition, Terms arranged. Box 2011, Colonist.

A NEW MODERN 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, in Gorge $2,300. $1,000 down, balance $18 monthly.

$10-000 PROPERTY FOR $7000

BUILT IN 1913 AT A COST OF $15,000 for the house alone. Use the rent—$60 a month—to pay off the mortgage. $7000 is all you need. Lot 100 x 200. House and with handsome outlook. It is in good condition, and has 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, living room, dining room, sun porch, kitchen, Fireplace, Hardwood floors, Electric refrigerator, Electric range, Electric water heater, Electric clock, Electric vacuum cleaner, Electric washer, Electric iron, Electric toaster, Electric coffee percolator, Electric waffle iron, Electric sandwich, Electric grill

9¢ DAY

AT SPENCER'S TODAY, JAN. 16

9¢

Goods on Display on the Bargain Highway, Candy, Bakery, Chinaware and Groceteria
NO PHONE ORDERS, C.O.D., MAIL ORDERS OR EXCHANGES

NOTIONS
Bargain Highway

BIAS TAPE — Choice range of shades, 6-yard bolts. Each .... 9¢
MERCERIZED MENDING—For hosiery repairs. All popular shades. At 3 for 9¢
WOOL MENDING—Good selection . 3 skiens 9¢
BOBBY PINS—Black or brown. At 5 cards 9¢
FANCY WORK BEADS—Assorted pastel or deeper-toned colors At 10 strings 9¢
CROCHET HOOKS — Assorted sizes 2 for 9¢
COTTON SHOE LACES—Brown only; 36 and 27-inch lengths. Bundle of 12 for 9¢
BUTTONS—Assorted colors and sizes 3 cards 9¢
EMBROIDERY SILKS of good quality and choice colors, 10 for 9¢
DRESSING COMBS of strong quality. Each 9¢
PLIOFILM COSMETIC CASES—Each 9¢

CHILDREN'S WEAR
Bargain Highway

INFANTS' RUBBER PANTIES—A pair 9¢
INFANTS' TERRY CLOTH BIBS—At 2 for 9¢
CHILDREN'S ANKLE AND HALF SOCKS—Mostly white. Silk and cotton mixture. Sizes 5 to 8½. Values to 29c A pair 9¢
GIRLS' LONG BLACK HOSE—Several weights and rib knits. Choice quality cottons and mixtures. Sizes 5 to 9. A pair 9¢

FAMILY REMEDIES
Bargain Highway

CASTOR OIL, 2-oz. bottle .. 9¢
EPSOM SALTS, large packet 9¢
JERGIN'S SOAPS—At 2 for 9¢
PETROLEUM JELLY, a jar... 9¢

STATIONERY AND BOOKS
Bargain Highway

SECOND SHEETS—Canary and white. Regular size pad of 125 sheets. Each 9¢
WRITING PADS—Assorted three sizes Each 9¢
ENVELOPES — Choice qualities. Several styles 2 pkts. 9¢
BLUE BLACK INK for fountain pen use. A bottle 9¢
JUMBO BLOTTING PACKETS—Good size. A pkt. 9¢
SCRIBBLERS—Lined, for pencil use 4 for 9¢
EXERCISE BOOKS—Lined, for ink use 4 for 9¢
EXERCISE BOOKS—For ink use. Good size and lined. Each 9¢
PENCIL BOXES—Each 9¢
DRAWING COMPASSES—Priced at, each 9¢
DRAWING PORTFOLIOS — At, each 9¢
STATEMENT PADS—Each 9¢
STANDARD DICTIONARY, Containing 30,000 words. Useful for home or office Each 9¢
NEW TESTAMENT—Pocket size. Each 9¢
STANDARD ENCYCLOPEDIA—Full of useful information. Each, 9¢
KNITTING BOOKS for women's and children's wear. Clearing at 2 for 9¢
H.B. LEADS 2 pkts. 9¢
ERASERS for ink or pencil use. At 2 for 9¢
RUBBER BANDS 4 pkts. 9¢

TOILETRIES *Bargain Highway*

GLYCERINE AND LEMON HAND CREAM—A tube 9¢
FACE CREAMS—Assorted group. A jar 9¢
FLORIDA BALM HAND LOTION 9¢
GLYCERINE AND ROSE WATER—A Bottle 9¢
HONEY AND ALMOND HAND LOTION—A bottle 9¢
CLEASING TISSUES—150 sheets to packet 9¢
BATH SALTS—Large bottle ... 9¢
BUBBLE BATH—A packet .. 9¢
SOLID BRILLIANTINE — English make. A tin 9¢
LIQUID BRILLIANTINE—Plain or perfumed. A bottle 9¢
TONIC HAIR CREAM—Tube, 9¢
ROUGE—Red shade only.. 9¢
NAIL POLISH REMOVER—At, a bottle 9¢
NAIL POLISH—Good range of shades. A bottle 9¢
LIQUID DEODORANT — At, a bottle 9¢
TAR SHAMPOO—A bottle 9¢
COCOANUT OIL SHAMPOO—A bottle 9¢
SKIN TONIC FRESHENER—At, a bottle 9¢
PERFUMES—Choice selection. At, each 9¢
TALCUM POWDERS—Clearance of several brands. Tin 9¢
TOOTH BRUSHES — Canadian made. Each 9¢
TOOTH PASTES—Giant size. At, a tube 9¢
ENGLISH DENTRIFICE—AT, a tin 9¢

9c SPECIALS IN GROCETERIA

NABOB JELLY POWDER, 2 pkts. for 9¢
GOLDEN BANTAM CORN, per tin 9¢
ORCHARD CITY PEAS, tin. 9¢
PALMOLIVE SOAP, regular size. At 2 cakes for 9¢
ODEX MEDICATED SOAP, 2 cakes for 9¢
RECKITT'S BLUE, 2 pkts for 9¢
RED, WHITE AND BLUE TOILET TISSUE 3 rolls for 9¢
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, per tin 9¢
WASHING SODA, per pkt.. 9¢
RICHARD'S CARBOLIC SOAP—At 2 bars for 9¢
LENTILS, 1-lb. bag 9¢
WINDSOR TABLE SALT, 3½'s, per sack 9¢
GLACIER SARDINES in Pure Olive Oil, per tin 9¢
TODD'S CUTE SALMON, ½'s, per tin 9¢
OGILVIE HEATHER OATS, per pkt. 9¢
SUPREME STEEL WOOL, per pkt. 9¢
HEINZ STRAINED FOODS or 10-oz. SOUPS—All kinds 9¢

BAKERY SPECIALS FOR 9c DAY

FRUIT PIES—Each	9¢	MEAT PIES	2 for 9¢
JELLY ROLLS—Each	9¢	MEAT ROLLS	2 for 9¢
SPONGE ROUNDS—Each	9¢	SCONE RINGS	2 for 9¢
CHOCOLATE CAKES—Each,	9¢	FLOUR SCONES, a dozen	9¢
ICED GINGER CAKES—Each	9¢	BUTTER HORNS	2 for 9¢
DATE AND NUT CAKES—At, each	9¢	COOKIES, a dozen	9¢
MADEIRA CAKES—Each	9¢	TEA CAKES	4 for 9¢
FRUIT CAKES—Each	9¢	DOUGHNUTS	6 for 9¢
WINDSOR BUNS—Each	9¢	DATE COOKIES	6 for 9¢
PYKELETS	2 pkts. for 9¢	ECCLES CAKES	6 for 9¢
		BRAN MUFFINS	6 for 9¢
		SHORTBREAD BARS	6 for 9¢

9c VALUES IN THE FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SECTIONS

3 BUNCHES CARROTS	9¢	3 SUNKIST GRAPEFRUIT	9¢
3 BUNCHES BEETS	9¢	5 LARGE ORANGES	9¢
JUMBO LETTUCE, each	9¢	7 SUNKIST LEMONS.	9¢
LARGE WHITE CAULIFLOWER, each	9¢	1 BUNCH STRAWBERRY RHUBARB	9¢

MEN'S WEAR
Bargain Highway

MEN'S FANCY SOCKS — Oddment of broken lines. Some with slightly irregular pattern. Values to 35¢ pair. To clear, pair 9¢
MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS—Plain white or with colored borders. Popular size 2 for 9¢
MEN'S WIDE-END TIES—Oddments and clearings from our Christmas selling. To clear, each 9¢
BOYS' BRACES of strong quality fancy elastic webbing with leather ends. A pair 9¢

SHAVING SUPPLIES
Bargain Highway

AFTER-SHAVE LOTION—At, a bottle 9¢
SHAVING MIRRORS — Upright style in metal frame. Each 9¢
AFTER-SHAVE TALCUM—At, a tin 9¢
SHAVING CREAMS — Assorted makes. A tube 9¢
SHAVING MUG SOAP, 2 for 9¢
SHAVING STICKS — Good size and quality. Each 9¢
RAZOR BLADES — Double-edge blue steel, 5 to a packet, 3 pkts. 9¢

HOUSEHOLD NEEDS
Bargain Highway

NU-CEDAR FURNITURE POLISH—Large bottle 9¢
WINDOW SPRAY—A bottle 9¢
NAIL SCRUBS—Assorted sizes. Each 9¢
MOTH FLAKES — Good size packet 9¢
MOTH CARDS to hang in closets. Each 9¢
SOAP DISHES—Assorted colors Each 9¢
RUBBER SYRINGE TUBING—A length 9¢
HANDY OIL—A tin 9¢

STAPLES
Bargain Highway

150 ONLY, PRINT CUSHIONS in plain shades or floral patterns Square and oblong shape. Each, 9¢
FACE CLOTHS—White with bordered effects. Good size and choice quality. Each 9¢
DISH TOWELS of absorbent quality. Shown in checked patterns. At, each 9¢
RAYON NAPKINS—Popular size and good quality. Colorful check patterns 2 for 9¢
LACE DOILIES—Hand made. Oblong shape and ecru shade 2 for 9¢
OILCLOTH REMNANTS—Useful lengths of plain and fancy oilcloth in sizes suitable for shelves, etc 2 for 9¢
INDIAN PRINT TRAY CLOTHS—Colorful designs. Each 9¢
COTTON CURTAINING in fancy bar pattern. Choice of ecru or white—36 inches wide. A yard 9¢
REMNANTS—Lengths suitable for patches, fancywork and handy for other odd bits of sewing. To clear at. 2 for 9¢

9c Chinaware Specials
China Dept., Lower Main Floor

BROWN TEAPOTS—1½-cup size. Each 9¢
UTILITY BOWLS—Pink or white ribbed glass. Each 9¢
SHELL BUTTER PATS—Nice clear glass 2 for 9¢
DECORATED CHINA BOWLS—Each 9¢
WHITE CUPS—Very strong make. At 2 for 9¢
SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS—A pair. 9¢
TUMBLERS—Pressed glass and very good looking. Each 9¢
BELGIAN GLASSES 2 for 9¢
ENGLISH EGGCUPS—Each 9¢

FIRST AID SUPPLIES *Bargain Highway*

ASSORTED OINTMENTS—At, a tin 9¢
GAUZE BANDAGE—A pkt. 9¢
BORACIC ACID—8-oz. pkt. 9¢
ADHESIVE TAPE—Each 9¢
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE—At a bottle 9¢
VALVOLINE JELLY—Priced at, a tube 9¢

SUEDE TAFFETA SLIPS FOR WOMEN

These are of nice quality—plain or fancy finish—made with adjustable shoulder straps. Shades of white, tearose and ice blue. Small, medium and large. Special, each **49c**

—Bargain Highway

Just Arrived

FROM ENGLAND
FRESH, HIGH-QUALITY, ASSORTED

PALM TOFFEE ROLLS

Adverse weather conditions have made some of the toffee pieces in this shipment slightly damp and sticky—but has not affected its usual fine quality and flavor.
Special, a lb. **19c**

—Candy, Lower Main Floor

SALE OF ORANGES

100 CASES ONLY—All Fancy, Fresh, Southern California
Quarter Case **99c** Half Case **$1.95**

ODDS AND ENDS *Bargain Highway*

ASH TRAYS—Individual size. White china with fancy pattern effects 2 for 9¢
HAIR BRUSHES—Made with sterilized bristles and plain black back. To clear, each 9¢
TOY PUPPY DOGS—Several styles. To clear, each 9¢
SHOPPING BAGS of strong paper, with handle 2 for 9¢
STIRR TINTS—Easy to use All colors Each 9¢

PASTRY BLENDERS

Practical utility for home-bakers. They are constructed with seven cutting blades of best piano wire—attached to solid walnut handle and are very easy to operate. Regular, each, 50c. Special **29c**

—Hardware Lower Main Floor

KITCHEN NEEDS *Bargain Highway*

WAX PAPER—50 sheets to a packet 9¢
WAX PAPER—½-lb. rolls. At, each 9¢
WAX PAPER—15 sheets to a roll. 3 rolls 9¢
PAPER NAPKINS—Plain white with fancy finish. A pkt. 9¢
PAPER DOILIES — Assorted sizes, Cellophane packed. A pkt. 9¢
BAKING CUPS—A pkt. 9¢

Marked for Clearance at Greatly Below Regular Prices—All Regular Stock!

TWO-DOME-FASTENED OVERSHOES—Made to fit all heels. Cosy shoes for street or motoring. Regular price, a pair, $1.39. Sale Price **99c**
WOMEN'S FUR-TRIMMED MOTOR BOOTS of brown velvet. Very smart in appearance and made for comfort Sizes 4 to 6½. Regular price, a pair, $2.95. Sale Price **$1.99**
CHILDREN'S OVERSHOES—Two-dome fastened. Very comfortable shoes. Black or brown Sizes 7 to 2. Sale Price **99c**

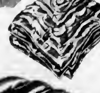
MEN'S OXFORDS

—Values, a Pair, to $4.65. Sale Price, a Pair **$3.99**
Smart Oxfords, some with Goodyear welted soles Short lines. Black or brown. Sizes 6 to 11 in the group.

—Bargain Highway

SALE OF COMFORTERS

A One-Day Sale of Never-to-Be-Forgotten Values . . . That Bring Really Big Savings for the Housewife Who's Alert and Farsighted



COMFORTERS—Cotton Filled

A well-assorted selection of floral print coverings to choose from. A good serviceable quality for general use. Filling of purified cotton. SPECIAL, each **$1.79**

COMFORTERS—Wool Filled

Scarcely heavier than a good-weight sheet . . . but for cosy warmth and comfortable sleep they are hard to beat. Quaint, ever popular patchwork chintz coverings. SPECIAL, each **$3.29**

SILK-COVERED COMFORTERS
(WOOL FILLED)

Comforters of real beauty—smartly covered in Silk Tongo Crepe . . . one side rose and the other blue . . . a dainty duet of color. Well filled with soft, purified wool. Offered at this special low price for today only

$5.39

FEATHERDOWN COMFORTERS

Soft and warm to snooze under with feather down filling as light as air. Plain and fancy stitched satin coverings . . . some with the added beauty of embroidered centres. Now—not next week—is the time to purchase such a comforter as you have always wanted. THE SAVING IS CONSIDERABLE. Values to $18.95. Special Sale Price today, each **$11.89**

COMFORTERS—
(WOOL FILLED)

Front coverings of attractive silk in almost every shade with cotton back in contrast. A wonderful buy in a smart-looking comforter—and at a price lower than you would think possible. SPECIAL, each

$3.89

—Staples, Main Floor

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED PHONE E 4141

What Today Means

"CAPRICORN"

If January 16 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10 a.m. until noon; from 2 to 4 p.m., and from 6 to 10 p.m. The danger periods are from 8 to 10 a.m.; from 6 to 8 p.m. and from 10 p.m. until midnight.

Your physical fitness will depend largely upon taking cognizance of nature's warnings against excesses in the way of overeating or being subjected to an undue strain. Irritability may be likened to a contagious disease, for through some form of telepathy it can be easily transferred and widely spread, so do not give in to its pernicious influence. The foundation for domestic felicity on January 16 will be gentleness and kindness and a desire on your part to maintain it. Only reasonable marginal profits can be expected in business on this date, for competition is apt to be keen and and prices are likely to be closely analyzed before orders are placed, so business men and women should do their figuring with a well-sharpened pencil. Married and engaged couples, and Cupid's proteges, will be inclined to view excuses with suspicion on this day, so it will be good judgment to endeavor to have none to offer.

If a woman and January 16 is your birthday, let right principles rather than monetary considerations influence your decisions. You appear to be destined to enjoy the privileges affluence alone can make possible, so you can indulge in building air castles with the expectation that they will, in time, materialize. As a musician, singer, writer, teacher, office or business manager, social welfare government or research worker, actress, broker, or demonstrator, your efforts should be fruitful. If love has motivated your taking a chance in Cupid's matrimonial grab bag, it will probably turn out to be a prize.

The child born on January 16, generally, from the time it can walk and talk, evinces an adventurous spirit that may lead it into many ludicrous or serious explorations that will terminate, as a rule, without serious mishap. Work of an intellectual or artistic nature may be responsible for its future success.

If a man and January 16 is your natal day, learn to depend upon your own decisions, and that delays are often dangerous, if you are to achieve the degree of success you wish. Remember the candle that is burned at both ends lasts but a short time, and the more you draw on your reserves of vitality the less you will have in storage for emergencies. As an architect, builder, engineer, sales representative, journalist, doctor, clergyman, lawyer, author, inventor, scientist, or naval officer, your chances for success appear to be limited only by the amount of effort you make to attain it.

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Frowns may cause wrinkles
There's no doubt,
But happy laughter
Irons them out.

AUSTRALIAN CASUALTIES

MELBOURNE, Jan. 15 (AP)—Total casualties in the Australian Imperial forces up to January 14 were reported by Army Headquarters today as 296. They consisted of thirty-one officers and 265 other ranks. Only seventeen of these were killed in action or died of wounds. A large percentage of these were identified with the Battle of Bardia in Libya.